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UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

Location	Grambling, LA (71245)
Founded	1901
Enrollment	5,438
Colors	Black and Gold
Nickname	Tigers
Conference	Southwestern Athletic Conference
President	Richard J. Gallot
Alma Mater	Grambling State, 1987
VP for Intercollegiate Athletics	Dr. Trayvean Scott
Alma Mater	Southern, 2003
Associate AD/Chief of Staff	Taylor Stewart
Alma Mater	Grambling State, 2018
Associate AD/SWA	Wanda Currie
Alma Mater	Grambling State, 1984
Faculty Athletic Rep.	Dr. Bobby Burkes
Alma Mater	Xavier (La.), 1973
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University Website	gram.edu

FOOTBALL HISTORY

First Year of Football.....	1926
Overall Record.....	586-286-19
Bowl Record.....	19-8
Last Bowl.....	2017 Celebration Bowl vs. North Carolina A&T State (L, 14-21)

STADIUM INFORMATION

Stadium.....	Eddie G. Robinson Memorial Stadium
Capacity.....	19,600
Year Opened.....	1983
Playing Surface.....	Artificial Turf
Record.....	97-35-1

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach	Hue Jackson
Alma Mater	University of the Pacific, 1986
Career Record	11-44-1
Collegiate Record	0-0
Record at Grambling State	0-0
Offensive Coordinator/Wide Receivers	John Simon
Defensive Coordinator	Cedric Thornton
Defensive Line	Ken Delgado
Cornerbacks	Saeed Lee
Safeties	Tim McTyer
Offensive Line	Robert Valdez
Tight Ends	Ryan Weston
Running Backs	Kris Peters
Quarterbacks	Devonte Kincade
Offensive Analyst	Adin Trujillo
General Manager	Chris Scott
Video and Technology Director	Michael Lombardo

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BLACK, GOLD & TRUE

FIVE TRUTHS THAT SEPARATE GRAMBLING STATE

EDDIE ROBINSON

**ONLY FCS COACH
TO HAVE 408 VICTORIES**

41 WINNING SEASONS
18 SWAC CHAMPIONSHIPS
9 BLACK COLLEGE NATIONAL
CHAMPIONSHIPS



JUNIOUS "BUCK" BUCHANAN

**TOP DRAFT PICK
IN 1963 BY THE
KANSAS CITY CHIEFS**

BUCK BUCHANAN AWARD NAMED
FOR MOST OUTSTANDING
DEFENSIVE PLAYER IN FCS



DOUG WILLIAMS

**FIRST BLACK QB
TO START AND WIN
A SUPER BOWL**

SUPER BOWL XXII
MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

HOME OF CHAMPIONS

**MOST SWAC TITLES &
MOST NFL HALL OF FAMERS**

26 SWAC CHAMPIONSHIPS
15 BLACK COLLEGE NATIONAL
CHAMPIONSHIPS
13 BLACK COLLEGE FOOTBALL
HALL OF FAMERS
5 COLLEGE FOOTBALL
HALL OF FAMERS
4 NFL HALL OF FAMERS



CELEBRATING BIG WINS

ONLY SWAC SCHOOL TO WIN THE CELEBRATION BOWL

2016



GRAMBLING STATE 10
NORTH CAROLINA CENTRAL 9



ALPHABETICAL

NO.	NAME	POS.
60	Shun'Markus Adams	OL
13	Chance Amie	QB
9	Sundiata Anderson	DL
8	Lawrence Asiedu	DB
69	Antwoine Bailey	OL
15	Noah Bean	TE
74	Terrence Bell Jr.	DL
17	Tyson Bordeaux	WR
3	Marquis Britten	DB
38	Jaydon Brunson	DB
28	Kelin Burrle	LB
7	Devin Bush	DB
	Dayron Butler III	DB
4	Julian Calvez	QB
52	Meldon Capurs	DL
95	Javon Carter	DL
0	Floyd Chalk IV	RB
87	Caïou Chatman	WR
55	Chris Chernak Jr.	OL
79	Ashanti Cole	OL
88	Claude Coleman	WR
99	Xavier Cousar	DT
20	Chris Daigre	DB
43	Josh Darling	LB
	Taylun Druilhet	DB
62	Luca Duarte	LS
23	Keilon Elder	RB
6	Rey Estes	DB
21	Ryan Fields	DB
81	Kash Foley	WR
85	Tony Forrest Jr.	TE
45	Ricky Frazier	LB
	Trajon Freeman	DB
	Velton Gardner	RB
3	Amani Gilmore	QB
92	Wesley Green	DL
	Daquirs Griffen	LB
82	Trenton Grow	WR
25	Jaden Handy	RB
98	Jaden Hardy	DL
	Dylan Harris	TE
	Jordan Harris	LB
8	Quaterius Hawkins	QB
41	Derreion Hinton	LB
76	Dalton Hogue Jr.	OL
5	Kajiya Hollawayne	QB
54	Codie Hornsby	OL
29	Brison Huey	WR
36	Jimmy Iles	P
73	Bernard Johnson	OL
16	Donald Johnson III	WR
14	Norey Johnson	DB
86	Tyrese Johnson	WR
19	Antonio Jones	WR
94	Byron Jones	DL
64	DJ Jordan	OL
39	Jaylen Joseph	RB
	Lamaj Kendrick	TE
31	Covadis Knighten	TE
	Zion Lawton	LB

NUMERICAL ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	CL.	HOMETOWN/PREVIOUS SCHOOL
0	Floyd Chalk IV	RB	5-9	185	Fr.	Mission Hills, Calif. / Bishop Alemany HS
0	Donte Starks	LB	6-1	217	Fr.	Marrero, La. / LSU
1	JR Waters	WR	6-3	180	So.	Oxnard, Calif. / Oregon/Southern Utah
1	Myron Stewart	DB	6-1	195	Sr.	Port Gibson, Miss. / Mississippi Gulf Coast CC
2	Chance Williams	RB	5-10	170	Fr.	Baton Rouge, La. / Scotlandville HS
2	Xavier Lodge	DB	5-11	205	Jr.	Baton Rouge, La. / Louisiana Tech
3	Amani Gilmore	QB	6-2	220	R-Fr.	Amite, La. / North Texas
3	Marquis Britten	DB	5-11	185	Jr.	Baton Rouge, La. / Incarnate Word
4	Julian Calvez	QB	6-3	190	Fr.	Orlando, Fla. / Jones HS
4	Joshua Reed	LB	6-0	225	Jr.	Houston, Texas / Blinn CC
5	Kajiya Hollawayne	QB	6-4	210	R-Fr.	Hemet, Calif. / UCLA
5	Quincy Mitchell	DB	6-1	190	Sr.	Baton Rouge, La. / Southern Lab HS
6	CJ Russell	RB	6-0	200	R-So.	Arcadia, La. / Arcadia HS
6	Rey Estes	DB	6-0	180	Sr.	East Saint Louis, Ill. / Riverside CC
7	Phazion Wilson	WR	6-4	207	Fr.	Lancaster, Texas / Lancaster HS
7	Devin Bush	DB	6-0	200	Jr.	New Orleans, La. / Arkansas
8	Quaterius Hawkins	QB	6-0	180	Jr.	Bastrop, La. / Jones College
8	Lawrence Asiedu	DB	6-0	195	Sr.	Austin, Texas / Fort Scott CC
9	Greg White	WR	6-3	205	Sr.	Atlanta, Ga. / Riverdale HS
9	Sundiata Anderson	DL	6-5	240	Jr.	College Park, Ga. / North Clayton HS
10	Lyndon Rash	WR	6-0	220	Sr.	Baton Rouge, La. / Madison Prep HS
11	Ryan Peppins	WR	5-8	168	Fr.	Alabaster, Ala. / Utah
13	Chance Amie	QB	6-3	191	Jr.	Flint, Texas / Syracuse
14	Norey Johnson	DB	6-3	185	Fr.	Cincinnati, Ohio / Deer Park HS
15	Noah Bean	TE	6-2	235	Gr.	Simi Valley, Calif. / UNLV
16	Donald Johnson III	WR	5-9	180	Jr.	Ruston, La. / Ruston HS
17	Tyson Bordeaux	WR	6-5	180	Fr.	Long Beach, Calif. / Long Beach Poly
19	Antonio Jones	WR	5-9	175	Fr.	Atlanta, Ga. / Lovejoy HS
20	Chris Daigre	DB	5-11	180	So.	Baton Rouge, La. / Alcorn State
21	Ryan Fields	DB	6-2	190	Sr.	Cypress, Texas / Cypress Ranch HS
23	Keilon Elder	RB	5-10	200	Jr.	Dallas, Texas / Duncanville HS
24	Dedrick Talbert	RB	5-11	220	Jr.	Baton Rouge, La. / Garden City CC
25	Jaden Handy	RB	5-9	190	Fr.	New Orleans, La. / Ole Miss
26	Maurice Washington	RB	6-1	190	Jr.	Stockton, Calif. / Nebraska
27	Robert Wilson	DB	5-11	175	Fr.	Tallahassee, Fla. / Lincoln HS
28	Kelin Burrle	LB	6-0	205	Jr.	Harvey, La. / Arkansas
29	Brison Huey	WR	6-4	205	Fr.	Garland, Texas / Naaman Forest HS
29	Terry Walker	DB	6-2	190	Sr.	Homer, La. / Homer HS
30	Garrett Urban	K/P	5-10	185	Sr.	Houston, Texas / Fort Bend Travis HS
31	Covadis Knighten	TE	6-2	280	Fr.	Baton Rouge, La. / McNeese State
32	Chris Satterfield	DB	5-10	190	So.	Spring, Texas / Abilene Christian
33	Ken Pierre-Charles	DB	5-10	185	R-Fr.	Middle Village, N.Y. / Christ The King HS
34	Jaden Rudolph	LB	6-2	235	Fr.	Houston, Texas / North Shore HS
35	Kirk Sneal	TE	6-2	260	Sr.	Baton Rouge, La. / Madison Prep HS
36	Jimmy Iles	P	6-0	205	Jr.	Airport West, Victoria, Australia / RMIT
37	Donald Lee	DB	6-3	180	So.	Houston, Texas / Klein Collins HS
38	Jaydon Brunson	DB	5-9	192	Jr.	Blythwood, S.C. / South Carolina State
39	Jaylen Joseph	RB	5-7	175	So.	Lake Charles, La. / Lake Charles College Prep
40	Chandler Moncrief	LB	6-0	245	Jr.	West Monroe, La. / Northwestern State
41	Derreion Hinton	LB	6-0	215	Fr.	Jacksonville, Texas / Jacksonville HS
42	Brendan Vaughn	LB	6-1	235	Sr.	Forney, Texas / Cisco CC
43	Josh Darling	LB	5-10	205	So.	Gordo, Ala. / Gordo HS
44	Blake Thomas	LB	6-3	245	Sr.	Dallas, Texas / Cisco College
45	Ricky Frazier	LB	5-11	205	R-So.	Pineville, La. / Pineville HS
46	Zachariah White	LB	6-1	225	Fr.	Douglasville, Ga. / Chapel Hill HS
47	Tyrin Vessel	DB	5-10	185	R-Fr.	Baton Rouge, La. / Madison Prep HS
48	Bryan Powell	LB	6-2	230	Jr.	Atlanta, Ga. / ASA College
49	Jabar Triplett	LB	6-1	230	Fr.	Baton Rouge, La. / Arizona
50	Tahj Martin	OL	6-3	252	Fr.	Lewisville, Texas / Lewisville HS
51	Tyler Thomas	OL	6-5	320	So.	Baltimore, Md. / Kent State
52	Meldon Capurs	DL	6-2	280	Fr.	Montgomery, Ala. / Autauga Academy
54	Codie Hornsby	OL	6-3	280	Fr.	Dallas, Texas / Delaware State
55	Chris Chernak Jr.	OL	6-8	327	R-Jr.	Brooklyn, N.Y. / Stony Brook
56	Romello Watson	OL	6-4	300	Jr.	Arlington, Texas / Kilgore JC
57	Lewis Matthews	LB	5-11	220	Jr.	Ferriday, La. / Ferriday HS
58	Jalon Sheffield	DL	6-2	220	Jr.	Tallahassee, Fla. / South Alabama
59	Bradley Lewis	DL	6-3	215	Fr.	New Iberia, La. / Westgate HS

NO.	NAME	POS.	HT.	WT.	CL.	HOMETOWN/PREVIOUS SCHOOL
60	Shun'Markus Adams	OL	6-3	330	So.	Jasper, Texas / Jasper HS
61	Nolan Wilson	LS	6-4	260	Fr.	Newhall, Calif. / Calabassas HS
62	Luca Daunte	LS	5-10	155	Fr.	Fayetteville, N.C. / Jack Britt HS
64	DJ Jordan	OL	6-7	290	Fr.	Ruston, La. / Northwood HS
65	Jawun Singletary	OL	6-3	310	Jr.	Houston, Texas / Navarro College
66	Chester Martin	OL	6-2	315	R-So.	Kentwood, La. / Summer HS
68	Demarcus Tinsley	OL	6-4	330	R-Sr.	Newnan, Ga. / Dodge City HS
69	Antwoine Bailey	OL	6-3	320	Jr.	Moss Point, Miss. / Southwestern Assemblies of God
70	Georterrius Spivey	OL	6-0	300	R-So.	Monroe, La. / Richwood HS
71	Melvin Priestly	OL	6-4	295	Fr.	East St. Louis, Ill. / East St. Louis Senior HS
72	Jacoby Scott	DL	6-1	220	R-Fr.	Boutte, La. / Hahnsville HS
73	Bernard Johnson	OL	6-4	285	Fr.	Ruston, La. /Ruston HS
74	Terrence Bell Jr.	DL	6-0	315	Jr.	Kalamazoo, Mich. / Northland CT College
75	Stephen Myers	OL	6-2	305	So.	New Rochelle, N.Y. / Monroe College
76	Dalton Hague Jr.	OL	6-1	300	So.	Farmerville, LA. / Union Parish HS
77	Wallace Unamba	OL	6-5	320	So.	Kilgore, Texas / Kilgore JC
78	Dalton Lyons	OL	6-5	300	Fr.	North Palm Beach, Fla. / The Benjamin School
79	Ashanti Cole	OL	6-4	300	Fr.	Coushatta, La. / Red River HS
81	Kash Foley	WR	5-11	190	Jr.	LaPlace, La. / Riverside HS
82	Trenton Grow	WR	6-3	189	R-Fr.	St. Rose, La. / West St. Johns HS
83	Jeff Perry	WR	6-5	200	So.	Tallahassee, Fla. / Leon HS
84	Joshua Quiett	TE	6-4	218	Jr.	Baton Rouge, La. / McKinley HS
85	Tony Forrest Jr.	TE	6-4	235	R-So.	Jacksonville, Fla. / Central Florida
86	Tyrese Johnson	WR	6-2	190	Fr.	New Orleans, La. / Booker T. Washington HS
87	Caïou Chatman	WR	6-0	160	Fr.	Mission Hills, Calif. / Bishop Alemany HS
88	Claude Coleman	WR	6-1	190	So.	Baton Rouge, La. / Baker HS
89	Micah White	WR	6-5	185	So.	Atlanta, Ga. / TCU
91	Cameron Richardson	DL	6-2	300	Sr.	Stone Mountain, Ga. / Tucker HS
92	Wesley Green	DL	6-0	326	Sr.	Desoto, Texas / Desoto HS
93	Syemere Roberts	DL	6-0	297	Jr.	Ruston, La. / Ruston HS
94	Byron Jones	DL	6-3	215	Fr.	San Bernardino, Calif. / Indian Springs HS
95	Javon Carter	DL	6-4	258	So.	Lemannville, La. / East Ascension HS
96	Markeis Sykes	DE	6-3	205	Fr.	Lancaster, Texas / Lancaster HS
97	Lane Lewis	DL	6-2	226	So.	Allen, Texas. / Allen HS
98	Jaden Hardy	DL	6-3	285	So.	Savannah, Ga. / Island HS
99	Xavier Cousar	DT	6-2	290	So.	Irvine, Calif. / Long Beach City College
	Velton Gardner	RB	5-9	199	Jr.	Dallas, Texas / Kansas
	LeRoy Paige	DB	6-4	195	Fr.	New Orleans, La. / MLK Charter School
	Kevin Thomas	DB	6-0	185	Fr.	Lake Charles, La. / Lake Charles College Prep
	Dayron Butler III	DB	5-10	165	So.	Austin, Texas / Manor HS
	Taylun Druilhet	DB	6-1	180	R-Fr.	Baldwin, La. / West St. Mary HS
	Trajon Freeman	DB	6-3	205	Fr.	Baton Rouge, La. / Capitol HS
	Daquirs Griffen	LB	6-1	185	Fr.	Houma, La. / Ellender HS
	Dylan Harris	TE	6-5	215	So.	Farmerville, La. / Union Parish HS
	Jordan Harris	LB	5-10	210	Fr.	Little Rock, Ark. / Southwest HS
	Zion Lawton	LB	6-0	215	R-So.	Bastrop, La. / Bastrop HS
	Lamaj Kendrick	TE	6-1	225	So.	New Orleans, La. / Louisiana De La Salle
	Phillip Lee	DB	5-7	170	Sr.	Bossier City, La. /Airline HS
	Jalen Leonard	WR	5-10	150	So.	Vista Murrieta, Calif. / Benedictine College
	Patrick Marshall	DB	5-9	170	So.	Shreveport, La. / Northwood HS
	Terrion Morgan	DL	6-1	220	Fr.	Bastrop, La. /Bastrop HS
	Edward Smith	WR	6-2	210	Fr.	McDonough, Ga. / South Paulding HS
	Trey Truitt	WR	6-3	195	So.	Snellville, Ga. / South Gwinnett HS
	Jaylon Turner	LB	6-0	195	So.	Alexandria, La. / Peabody HS
	Zach Williams	LB	6-2	235	Fr.	Walnut Grove, Miss. / Leake County HS

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

NO.	NAME	POS.
5	KAI- JA-YE Hollawayne	QB
7	FAY-ZON Wilson	WR
8	KOR-TER-IOUS Hawkins	QB
8	Lawrence AH-SA-DAY-O	DB
9	SUN-DEE-AHT-E Anderson	DL
17	Tyson BOU-DRO	WR
20	Chris DI-GREY	DB
23	KEY-LON Elder	RB
31	CO-VAD-IS Knighten	TE

NO.	NAME	POS.
36	Jimmy AISLES	P
41	DARE-RE-ON Hinton	LB
47	TY-RIN Vessel	DB
50	TAJ Martin	OL
55	Chris CHER-NACK	OL
60	SHA-MARCUS Adams	OL
70	JOR-TER-RIUS Spivey	OL
76	Dalton HO GA	OL
77	Wallace OO-NAM-BA	OL

NO.	NAME	POS.
84	Joshua QUIET	TE
87	CA-OOO Chatman	WR
93	SA-MERE Roberts	DL
96	MAR-KEES Sykes	DE
99	Xavier COO-ZAR	DT
	Taylun DREWL-HET	DB
	TRAY-JON Freeman	DB
	DAIQUIRI Griffen	LB
	LA-MA-JA Kendrick	DB
	TER-RE-ON Morgan	DL

2022 ROSTERS <<<<<<<<<<<<

NO.	NAME	POS.
37	Donald Lee	DB
	Phillip Lee	DB
	Jalen Leonard	WR
59	Bradley Lewis	DL
97	Lane Lewis	DL
2	Xavier Lodge	DB
78	Dalton Lyons	OL
	Patrick Marshall	DB
65	Chester Martin	OL
50	Tahj Martin	OL
57	Lewis Matthews	LB
5	Quincy Mitchell	DB
40	Chandler Moncrief	LB
	Terrion Morgan	DL
75	Stephen Myers	OL
	LeRoy Paige	DB
11	Ryan Peppins	WR
83	Jeff Perry	WR
33	Ken Pierre-Charles	DB
48	Bryan Powell	LB
71	Melvin Priestly	OL
84	Joshua Quiett	TE
10	Lyndon Rash	WR
4	Joshua Reed	LB
91	Cameron Richardson	DL
93	Syemere Roberts	DL
34	Jaden Rudolph	LB
6	CJ Russell	RB
72	Jacoby Scott	DL
32	Chris Satterfield	DB
58	Jalon Sheffield	DL
65	Jawun Singletary	OL
	Edward Smith	WR
35	Kirk Sneal	TE
70	Georterrius Spivey	OL
0	Donte Starks	LB
1	Myron Stewart	DB
96	Markeis Sykes	DE
24	Dedrick Talbert	RB
44	Blake Thomas	LB
	Kevin Thomas	DB
51	Tyler Thomas	OL
68	Demarcus Tinsley	OL
49	Jabar Triplett	LB
	Trey Truitt	WR
	Jaylon Turner	LB
77	Wallace Unamba	OL
30	Garrett Urban	K/P
42	Brendan Vaughn	LB
47	Tyrin Vessel	DB
29	Terry Walker	DB
26	Maurice Washington	DB
1	JR Waters	WR
56	Romello Watson	OL
9	Greg White	WR
89	Micah White	WR
46	Zachariah White	LB
2	Chance Williams	RB
	Zach Williams	LB
61	Nolan Wilson	LS
27	Robert Wilson	DB
7	Phazion Wilson	WR

>>>>>>>> ROSTER BREAKDOWN

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Claude Coleman	WR
Keilon Elder	RB
Kash Foley	WR
Donald Johnson III	WR
Antonio Jones	WR
Chester Martin	OL
Stephen Myers	OL
Jeff Perry	WR
Joshua Quiett	TE
Lyndon Rash	WR
CJ Russell	RB
Georterrius Spivey	OL
Tyler Thomas	OL
Greg White	WR

DEFENSE [28]

Sundiata Anderson	DL
Lawrence Asiedu	DB
Terrence Bell Jr.	DL
Anthony Boston	DB
Marquis Britten	DB
Dayron Butler III	DB
Javon Carter	DL
Joshua Darling	LB
Rey Estes	DB
Ryan Fields	DB
Wesley Green	DL
Jaden Hardy	DL
Zion Lawton	LB
Donald Lee	DB
Lane Lewis	DL
Xavier Lodge	DB
Lewis Matthews	LB
Quincy Mitchell	DB
Ken Pierre-Charles	DB
Bryan Powell	LB
Joshua Reed	LB
Cameron Richardson	DL
Jalon Sheffield	DL
Myron Stewart	DB
Blake Thomas	LB
Jaylon Turner	LB
Brendan Vaughn	LB
Terry Walker	DB

SPECIALISTS [1]

Garrett Urban	P/K
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STARTERS RETURNING [31] [min 4 Games]

OFFENSE [9]

Claude Coleman	WR
Keilon Elder	RB
Kash Foley	WR
Donald Johnson III	WR
Antonio Jones	WR
Jeff Perry	WR
CJ Russell	RB
Tyler Thomas	OL
Greg White	WR

DEFENSE [21]

Sundiata Anderson	DL
Lawrence Asiedu	DB
Dayron Butler III	DB
Javon Carter	DL
Joshua Darling	LB
Rey Estes	DB
Ryan Fields	DB
Wesley Green	DL
Jaden Hardy	DL
Donald Lee	DB
Lane Lewis	DL
Xavier Lodge	DB
Lewis Matthews	LB
Quincy Mitchell	DB
Bryan Powell	LB
Joshua Reed	LB
Cameron Richardson	DL
Jalon Sheffield	DL
Myron Stewart	DB
Blake Thomas	LB
Terry Walker	DB

SPECIALISTS [1]

Garrett Urban	P/K
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LETTERMAN LOST [42]

OFFENSE [24]

Egan Atkins	OL
Zach Barnao	QB
Noah Bodden	OL
Darqueze Brutton	RB
Wesley Calloway	WR
Tyran Cassie	RB
Aldon Clark	QB
Darryl Clark	WR
Zavier Cooper	WR
Cameron Davis	OL
Kyle Davis	OL
Taylun Druihet	QB
Tyce Fusilier	RB
Colin Green	OL
Dylan Harris	TE
Dorrell James	TE
Jaye Patrick	TE
John Paul-Pierce	QB
Kobe Ross	WR
Kyree Wade-McLeod	OL
Elijah Walker	QB
Errol Walker	OL
Casey Warming	TE
Gene Wilson III	WR

DEFENSE (15)

Zion Cage	DL
Demario Cleaves	LB
Isaiah Conner	LB
Martavius Dotson	DL
Danquarian Fields	DB
Kenan Fontenot	DB
Koby Foster	DL
Tyron Hall	DB
Freddie Mango	DB
Devanir Martin	DB
Toddick Paul	DL
Tanner Statton	DL
Tyler Steib	DB
Hurshie Williams	DB
Imhotep Wilson	DB

SPECIALISTS [3]

Marquise McKnight	P/K
Mason McSpadden	LS
Micah Torres-Whitmer	LS

STARTERS LOST (21) [min 4 Games]

OFFENSE (10)

Noah Bodden	QB
Darqueze Brutton	RB
Aldon Clark	QB
Darryl Clark	WR
Zavier Cooper	WR
Kyle Davis	OL
Tyce Fusilier	RB

Dorrell James	TE
Elijah Walker	QB
Casey Warming	TE

DEFENSE [9]

Demario Cleaves	LB
Martavius Dotson	DL
Kenan Fontenot	DB
Koby Foster	DL
Freddie Mango	DB
Devanir Martin	DB
Toddick Paul	DL
Tyler Steib	DB
Hurshie Williams	DB

SPECIALISTS [2]

Mason McSpadden	LS
Micah Torres-Whitmer	LS

REDSHIRT RETURNERS (3)

DEFENSE [3]

Jacoby Scott	DL
Ken Pierre-Charles	DB
Tyrin Vessel	DB

2022 SIGNEES/NEWCOMERS [50]

OFFENSE [29]

Chance Aime	QB
Antwoine Bailey	OL
Noah Bean*	TE
Tyson Bordeaux	WR
Julian Calvez	QB
Floyd Chalk IV	RB
Caïou Chatman	WR
Ashanti Cole	OL
Velton Gardner*	RB
Amani Gilmore*	QB
Jaden Handy	RB
Codie Hornsby*	OL
Brison Huey	WR
Bernard Johnson	OL
DJ Jordan	OL
Dalton Lyons	OL
Quaterius Hawkins^	QB
Kijiya Hollowayne*	QB
Tahj Martin	OL
Ryan Peppins	WR
Melvin Priestly	OL
Juwan Singletary^	OL
Wallace Unamba^	OL
Maurice Washington*	RB
JR Waters*	WR
Romello Watson^	OL
Micah White*	WR
Chance Williams	RB
Phazion Wilson	WR

DEFENSE [19]

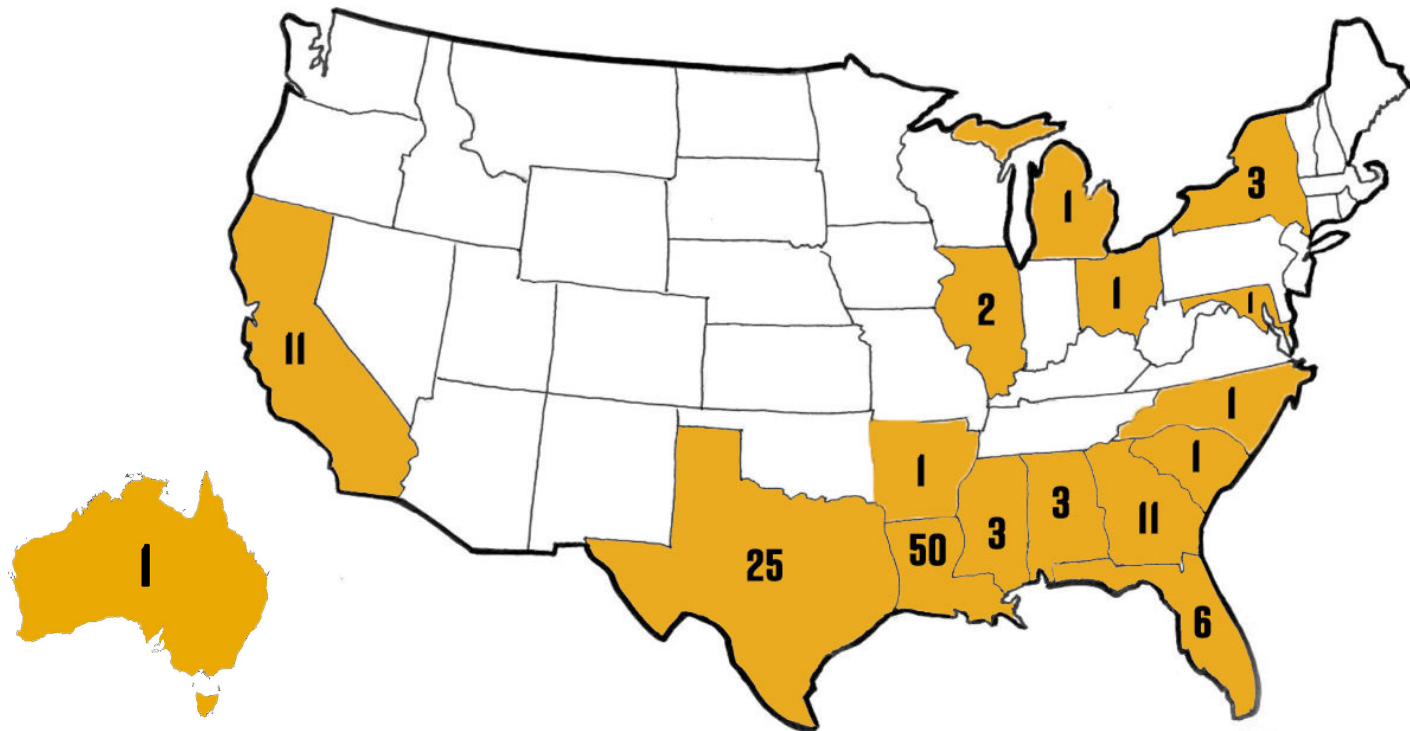
Kelin Burrie*	LB
Devin Bush*	DB
Meldon Capurs	DL
Xavier Cousar^	DT
Chris Daigre	DB
Trajon Freeman	DB
Daquirs Griffen	LB
Jordan Harris	LB
Derreion Hinton	LB
Norey Johnson	DB
Byron Jones	DL
LeRoy Paige	DB
Jaden Rudolph	LB
Chris Satterfield*	DB
Donte Starks*	LB
Markeis Sykes	DE
Kevin Thomas	DB
Jabar Triplett*	LB
Zachariah White	LB

SPECIALIST [3]

Luca Daunte	LS
Jimmy Iles	P
Nolan Wilson	LS

* Division I Transfer | ^ Community College Transfer

>>>>>>>> ROSTER BREAKDOWN



ALABAMA [3]
Meldon Capurs (Montgomery), Josh Darling (Gordo), Ryan Peppins (Alabaster)

ARKANSAS [1]
Jordan Harris (Little Rock)

CALIFORNIA [11]
Noah Bean (Simi Valley), Tyson Bordeaux (Long Beach), Floyd Chalk IV (Mission Hills), Caiou Chatman (Mission Hills), Xavier Cousar (Irvine), Kaiya Hollawayne (Hemet), Byron Jones (San Bernardino), Jalen Leonard (Vista Murrieta), JR Waters (Oxnard), Maurice Washington (Stockton), Nolan Wilson (Newhall)

FLORIDA [6]
Julian Calvez (Orlando), Tony Forrest Jr. (Jacksonville), Dalton Lyons (North Palm Beach), Jeff Perry (Tallahassee), Jalon Sheffield (Tallahassee), Robert Wilson (Tallahassee)

GEORGIA [11]
Sundiata Anderson (College Park), Jaden Hardy (Savannah), Antonio Jones (Atlanta), Bryan Powell (Atlanta), Cameron Richardson (Stone Mountain),

Edward Smith (McDonough), Demarcus Tinsley (Newnan), Trey Truitt (Snellville), Greg White (Atlanta), Micah White (Atlanta), Zachariah White (Douglasville)

ILLINOIS [1]
Rey Estes (East St. Louis), Melvin Priestly (East St. Louis)

LOUISIANA [See Below]

MARYLAND [1]
Tyler Thomas (Baltimore)

MICHIGAN [1]
Terrence Bell Jr. (Kalamazoo)

MISSISSIPPI [3]
Antwoine Bailey (Moss Point), Myron Stewart (Port Gibson), Zach Williams (Walnut Grove)

NEW YORK [3]
Chris Chernak Jr. (Brooklyn), Stephen Myers (New Rochelle), Ken Pierre-Charles (Middle Village)

NORTH CAROLINA [1]
Luca Duarte (Fayetteville)

OHIO [1]
Norey Johnson (Cincinnati)

SOUTH CAROLINA [1]
Jaydon Brunson (Blythewood)

TEXAS [25]
Shun'Markus Adams (Jasper), Chance Amie (Flint), Lawrence Asiedu (Austin), Dayron Butler III (Austin), Keilon Elder (Dallas), Ryan Fields (Cypress), Velton Gardner (Dallas), Wesley Green (Desoto), Codie Hornsby (Dallas), Derreion Hinton (Jacksonville), Brison Huey (Garland), Donald Lee (Houston), Lane Lewis (Allen), Tahj Martin (Lewisville), Joshua Reed (Houston), Jaden Rudolph (Houston), Chris Satterfield (Spring), Jawun Singletary (Houston), Markeis Sykes (Lancaster), Blake Thomas (Dallas), Wallace Unamba (Kilgore), Garrett Urban (Houston), Brendan Vaughn (Forney), Romello Watson (Arlington), Phazion Wilson (Lancaster)

AUSTRALIA [1]
Jimmy Iles (Airport West, Victoria)

LOUISIANA [50]

Alexandria [1]
Phillip Turner
Amite [1]
Amani Gilmore
Arcadia [1]
CJ Russell
Baldwin [1]
Taylun Druilhet
Bastrop [3]
Quaterius Hawkins
Zion Lawton
Terrion Morgan
Baton Rouge [14]
Marquis Britten
Claude Coleman
Chris Daigre
Trajon Freeman
Covadis Knighten
Xavier Lodge
Quincy Mitchell
Joshua Quiett
Lyndon Rash
Kirk Sneal
Dedrick Talbert
Jabar Triplett
Tyrin Vessel
Chance Williams

Bossier City [1]
Phillip Lee
Boutte [1]
Jacoby Scott
Coushatta [1]
Ashanti Cole
Farmerville [2]
Dylan Harris
Dalton Houge Jr.
Ferriday [1]
Lewis Matthews
Harvey [1]
Kelin Burrie
Homer [1]
Terry Walker
Houma [1]
Daquirs Griffen
Kentwood [1]
Chester Martin
LaPlace [1]
Kash Foley
Lake Charles [2]
Jaylen Joseph
Kevin Thomas
Lemmnville [1]
Javon Carter

Marrero [1]
Donte Starks
Monroe [1]
Georterrius Spivey
Pineville [1]
Ricky Frazier
New Iberia [1]
Bradley Lewis
New Orleans [5]
Devin Bush
Jaden Handy
Lamaj Kendrick
Tyrese Johnson
LeRoy Paige
Ruston [4]
Bernard Johnson
Donald Johnson III
DJ Jordan
Syemere Roberts
Shreveport [1]
Patrick Marshall
St. Rose [1]
Trenton Grow
West Monroe [1]
Chandler Monfrief



2022 GRAMBLING STATE FOOTBALL FACT BOOK

>>>>>>>> SERIES RESULTS VS 2022 OPPONENTS

ARKANSAS STATE [0-1]

YEAR	Date	GSU	Opp.
1985		7	10

Arkansas State Series Notes

Grambling State Points	7
Arkansas State Points	10
Games Decided by 3 Points or Less	0-1
Games Decided by 7 Points or Less	0-0
Longest Winning Streak	None
Current Streak	Lost 1
Last 10 Games	0-1
Biggest Win	None
Biggest Loss	7-10 (1985)

NORTHWESTERN STATE [3-2]

YEAR	Date	GSU	Opp.
1974		14	13
2008		19	31
2009	9/12	38	17
2017	9/9	23	10
2018	9/8	7	34

Northwestern State Series Notes

Grambling State Points	101
Northwestern State Points	105
Games Decided by 3 Points or Less	1-0
Games Decided by 7 Points or Less	1-0
Longest Winning Streak	2 (2009 & 2017)
Current Streak	Lost 1
Last 10 Games	3-2
Biggest Win	38-17 (2009)
Biggest Loss	7-34 (2018)

JACKSON STATE [47-22-1]

YEAR	Date	GSU	Opp.
1952		13	13
1953		21	13
1954		35	13
1955		48	7
1956		26	7
1957		30	39
1958		21	18
1959		18	14
1960		32	12
1961		13	14
1962		31	45
1963		62	16
1964		47	27
1965		51	20
1966		27	18
1967		14	20
1968		35	33
1969		62	12
1970		27	7
1971		7	13
1972		26	13
1973		19	12
1974		26	13
1975		14	24
1976		28	6
1978		13	7
1980		24	14
1981		15	7
1982		6	22
1983		14	10
1984		19	3
1985		26	35
1986		14	25
1987		17	31
1988		17	24
1989		27	17

1990		19	29
1991		22	34
1992		34	31
1993		20	14
1994		28	17
1995		28	29
1996		0	52
1997		0	23
1998		35	68
1999		6	31
2000		33	30
2001		30	16
2002		52	31
2003		24	17
2004		23	32
2005		52	21
2006		36	7
2007		30	20
2007		31	42
2008		14	5
2008		41	9
2009	9/19	27	17
2010	9/18	28	21
2011	11/5	26	23
2012	11/3	17	53
2013	10/19	Forfeit	
2014	9/20	40	35
2015	10/3	59	27
2016	9/17	35	14
2017	9/16	36	21
2019	10/5	44	21
2021	3/6	28	33

Jackson State Series Notes

Grambling State Points	1,721
Jackson State Points	1,447
Games Decided by 3 Points or Less	4-2
Games Decided by 7 Points or Less	13-5
Longest Winning Streak	Tied at 5
Current Streak	Lost 1
Last 10 Games	7-3
Biggest Win	62-12 (1969)
Biggest Loss	0-52 (1996)

BETHUNE-COOKMAN [8-4]

YEAR	Date	GSU	Opp.
1954		14	25
1955		26	7
1956		27	7
1957		20	12
1984		35	17
1986		30	24
1987		21	14
1988		17	16
2004		24	23
2014	9/13	23	36
2015	9/12	53	56
2021	11/13	14	31

Bethune-Cookman Series Notes

Grambling State Points	304
Bethune-Cookman Points	268
Games Decided by 3 Points or Less	2-1
Games Decided by 7 Points or Less	3-1
Longest Winning Streak	8 (1955-1957; 1984-2004)
Current Streak	Lost 3
Last 10 Games	7-3
Biggest Win	27-7 (1956)
Biggest Loss	14-31 (2021)

PRAIRIE VIEW A&M [51-21-1]

YEAR	Date	GSU	Opp.
1950		7	40
1951		12	34
1952		13	25

1953		0	32
1954		19	26
1955		26	7
1956		46	0
1957		14	25
1958		6	44
1959		13	35
1960		26	0
1961		34	14
1962		23	15
1963		7	28
1964		14	22
1965		44	7
1966		10	10
1967		13	10
1968		22	14
1969		58	25
1970		57	6
1971		30	7
1972		36	0
1973		38	12
1974		61	0
1975		0	2
1976		0	2
1977		77	7
1978		37	6
1979		61	6
1980		68	0
1981		44	3
1982		51	6
1983		42	8
1984		42	0
1985		27	7
1986		19	24
1987		28	7
1988		40	14
1989		39	0
1991		77	7
1992		63	3
1993		49	0
1994		66	0
1995		44	0
1996		54	12
1997		33	6
1998		55	40
1999		47	19
2000		12	10
2002		35	13
2003		65	7
2004		53	32
2005		50	7
2006		53	7
2007		17	14
2008		40	16
2009	10/3	32	35
2010	9/25	34	17
2011	10/1	22	31
2012	10/6	14	31
2013	10/5	3	31
2014	9/27	26	20
2015	9/26	70	54
2016	10/1	36	16
2017	10/7	34	21
2018	9/29	16	22
2019	9/28	36	42
2021	3/13	10	17
2021	9/25	10	24

Prairie View A&M Series Notes

Grambling State Points	2,359
Prairie View A&M Points	1,089
Games Decided by 3 Points or Less	2-1
Games Decided by 7 Points or Less	3-1
Longest Winning Streak	20 (1987-2008)
Current Streak	Lost 4
Last 10 Games	4-6
Biggest Win	77-7 (1991)
Biggest Loss	6-44 (1958)

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1962	25	42
1963	13	27
1964	25	8
1965	6	26
1966	19	17
1967	20	14
1968	28	18
1969	28	26
1970	20	16
1971	27	7
1972	21	15
1973	21	35
1974	34	21
1975	37	21
1976	54	21
1977	28	14
1978	22	16
1979	32	3
1980	43	14
1981	17	17
1982	34	30
1983	55	0
1984	44	16
1985	30	6
1986	49	21
1987	30	9
1988	49	7
1989	49	6
1990	57	36
1991	30	27
1992	24	17
1993	50	26
1994	51	20
1995	56	14
1996	7	52
1997	16	21
1998	24	41
1999	20	21
2000	26	17
2001	43	3
2002	42	28
2003	48	15
2004	28	10
2005	58	21
2006	28	33
2007	57	9
2008	33	7
2009	11/12	49 33
2010	11/11	34 41
2012	10/27	20 23
2013	10/26	17 23
2014	11/1	35 7
2015	11/7	41 15
2016	11/19	47 28
2017	10/28	50 24
2018	10/13	34 21
2019	11/2	55 20
2021	10/16	34 20

Texas Southern Series Notes

Grambling State Points	2,153
Texas Southern Points	1,264
Games Decided by 3 Points or Less	4-2
Games Decided by 7 Points or Less	10-7
Longest Winning Streak	21 (1974-1995)
Current Streak	Won 7
Last 10 Games	7-3
Biggest Win	55-0 (1983)
Biggest Loss	14-46 (1952)

SOUTHERN [34-39]

YEAR	Date	GSU	Opp.
1932		0	20
1933		0	20
1934		9	25
1935		6	64

1936	0	36
1938	0	20
1939	7	53
1946	0	38
1947	21	6
1948	0	18
1959	6	12
1960	6	16
1961	9	20
1962	14	3
1963	21	22
1964	20	17
1965	34	14
1966	13	41
1967	27	20
1968	34	32
1969	6	15
1970	37	24
1971	31	3
1972	1	0+
1973	19	14
1974	11/23	21 0
1975	11/29	33 17
1976	11/27	10 2
1977	11/26	55 20
1978	11/25	28 15
1979	12/1	7 14
1980	11/29	43 16
1981	11/21	20 50
1982	11/27	17 22
1983	11/26	24 10
1984	11/24	31 29
1985	11/23	29 12
1986	11/29	30 3
1987	11/28	21 27
1988	11/26	3 10
1989	11/18	44 30
1990	11/24	25 13
1991	11/30	30 31
1992	11/28	30 27
1993	11/27	13 31
1994	11/26	7 34
1995	11/25	14 30
1996	11/30	12 17
1997	11/29	7 30
1998	11/28	14 26
1999	11/27	31 37
2000	11/25	29 33
2001	11/24	30 20
2002	11/30	24 48
2003	11/29	41 44
2004	11/27	24 13
2005	11/26	50 35
2006	11/25	17 21
2007	11/24	13 22
2008	11/29	29 14
2009	11/28	31 13
2010	11/27	38 17
2011	11/26	36 12
2012	11/24	33 38
2013	11/30	17 40
2014	11/29	45 52
2015	11/28	34 23
2016	11/26	52 30
2017	11/25	30 21
2018	11/24	28 38
2019	11/30	28 30
2021	4/17	7 49
2021	11/27	29 26

Southern Series Notes

Grambling State Points	1,568
Southern Points	1,714
Games Decided by 3 Points or Less	4-3
Games Decided by 7 Points or Less	8-15

Longest Winning Streak	9 (1970-1978)
Current Streak	Won 1
Last 10 Games	4-6
Biggest Win	30-3 (1986)
Biggest Loss	6-64 (1935)

>>>>>>>> 2022 OPPONENTS



FLORIDA A&M

October 15 • 2:00 p.m.
Eddie G. Robinson Memorial Stadium
Grambling, Louisiana

SCHEDULE

8.27	at North Carolina
9.4	vs. Jackson State
9.10	ALBANY STATE
9.24	ALABAMA A&M
10.1	MISS. VALLEY STATE
10.8	at South Carolina State
10.15	at Grambling State
10.29	ARKANSAS-PINE BLUFF
11.5	SOUTHERN
11.12	at Alabama State
11.19	vs. Bethune-Cookman

QUICK FACTS

Location	Tallahassee, Fla.
Enrollment	9,614
Nickname	Rattlers
Colors	Orange & Green
Conference	SWAC - East Division
Stadium	Bragg Memorial Stadium
Athletics Director	Michael Smith
2021 Overall Record	9-3
2021 Conference Record	7-1
Head Coach	Willie Simmons
Overall Record	45-21
Record at School	24-10
Record vs. Grambling State	1-3

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Head Coach



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ALCORN STATE

October 29 • 2:00 p.m.
Eddie G. Robinson Memorial Stadium
Grambling, Louisiana
ESPN+

SCHEDULE

9.3	STEPHEN F. AUSTIN
9.10	at Tulane
9.17	at McNeese State
9.24	ARKANSAS-PINE BLUFF
10.8	at Miss. Valley State
10.15	at Southern
10.22	TEXAS SOUTHERN
10.29	at Grambling State
11.5	at Prairie View A&M
11.12	BETHUNE-COOKMAN
11.19	JACKSON STATE

QUICK FACTS

Location	Lorman, Miss.
Enrollment	3,730
Nickname	Braves
Colors	Purple & Gold
Conference	SWAC - West Division
Stadium	Spinks-Casem Stadium
Athletics Director	Raynoid Dedeaux
2021 Overall Record	6-5
2021 Conference Record	5-3
Head Coach	Fred McNair
Overall Record	36-23
Record at School	36-23
Record vs. Grambling State	2-5

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ARKANSAS-PINE BLUFF

November 5 • 2:00 p.m.
Eddie G. Robinson Memorial Stadium
Grambling, Louisiana
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SCHEDULE

9.3	LANE COLLEGE
9.10	NORTH AMERICAN
9.17	at Oklahoma State
9.24	at Alcorn State
10.1	at Southern
10.8	TEXAS SOUTHERN
10.16	vs. Alabama A&M
10.29	at Florida A&M
11.5	at Grambling State
11.12	PRAIRIE VIEW A&M
11.24	at Alabama State

QUICK FACTS

Location	Pine Bluff, Ark.
Enrollment	2,507
Nickname	Golden Lions
Colors	Black & Gold
Conference	SWAC - West Division
Stadium	Simmons Bank Field
Athletics Director	Chris Robinson
2021 Overall Record	2-9
2021 Conference Record	1-7
Head Coach	Doc Gamble
Overall Record	6-10
Record at School	6-10
Record vs. Grambling State	2-0

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at Texas Southern

November 12 • 6:00 p.m.
PNC Stadium
Houston, Texas

SCHEDULE

9.3	at Prairie View A&M
9.10	at North Texas
9.17	vs. Southern
9.24	at UT-San Antonio
10.1	ALABAMA STATE
10.8	at Arkansas-Pine Bluff
10.22	at Grambling State
10.29	LINCOLN (CA)
11.5	JACKSON STATE
11.12	GRAMBLING STATE
11.19	at Alabama A&M

QUICK FACTS

Location	Houston, Texas
Enrollment	10,500
Nickname	Tigers
Colors	Maroon & Gray
Conference	SWAC - PNC Division
Stadium	PNC Stadium
Athletics Director	Kevin Granger
2021 Overall Record	3-8
2021 Conference Record	2-6
Head Coach	Clarence McKinney
Overall Record	4-21
Record at School	4-21
Record vs. Grambling State	0-2

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vs. Southern

November 26 • 1:00 p.m.
Caesars Superdome
New Orleans, Louisiana
49th Annual Bayou Classic | NBC

SCHEDULE

9.3	FLORIDA MEMORIAL
9.10	at LSU
9.17	vs. Texas Southern
10.1	ARKANSAS-PINE BLUFF
10.8	at Prairie View A&M
10.15	ALCORN STATE
10.22	VA. - LYNCHBURG
10.29	at Jackson State
11.5	at Florida A&M
11.12	MISS. VALLEY STATE
11.26	vs. Grambling State

QUICK FACTS

Location	Baton Rouge, La.
Enrollment	7,091
Nickname	Jaguars
Colors	Columbia Blue & Gold
Conference	SWAC - West Division
Stadium	A.W. Munford Stadium
Athletics Director	Roman Banks
2021 Overall Record	4-7
2021 Conference Record	3-5
Head Coach	Eric Dooley
Overall Record	20-17
Record at School	0-0
Record vs. Grambling State	4-0

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RUNNING BACKS

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QUARTERBACKS

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COACH

Hue Jackson

Hue Jackson becomes the 14th head coach of the Grambling State University Football Program joining the great names of Eddie G. Robinson, Doug Williams & Rod Broadway.



**Running Backs
Offensive Coordinator**
2001-03



Offensive Coordinator
2007



Quarterbacks
2008-09



**Wide Receivers
Secondary Assistant
Special Teams
Running Backs**



**Offensive Coordinator
Head Coach**
2010-11



Head Coach
2016-18

**Offensive Coordinator
Special Assistant to Head Coach**
2004-06; 2012-15; 2018



**Graduate Assistant
Wide Receivers
Running Backs
Special Teams**
1987-89



**Running Backs
Special Teams**
1990-91



**Running Backs
Quarterbacks**
1992-95



**Offensive Coordinator
Quarterbacks
Running Backs**



**Offensive Coordinator
Quarterbacks**
1996

1997-2000



**Offensive Coordinator
Quarterbacks**
2021

**Responsible for Recruiting
Two Heisman Trophy-winning
quarterbacks at USC**



Carson Palmer



Matt Leinart



HUE JACKSON

HEAD COACH

University of the Pacific, 1986

1st Season as Grambling State Head Coach



Hue Jackson became the 14th head coach in the Grambling State University football program on December 10, 2021.

Jackson comes to Grambling State after spending the past year as the offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach at Tennessee State University.

Jackson, who has more than 30 years of coaching experience at both the collegiate and professional levels, began his coaching career in 1987 at the University of the Pacific, his alma mater, and spent a majority of the next 13 years in the college ranks. He then moved to the professional ranks in 2001 and remained in the National Football League until 2019.

Jackson spent three years as a graduate assistant at Pacific from 1987-1989 before working two seasons as the running backs coach and special team's coordinator at Cal State Fullerton.

In the spring of 1991, Jackson experienced the professional level for the first time, coaching the running backs, wide receivers and special teams for the World League's London Monarchs.

Jackson returned to the collegiate level in 1992 where he spent four years (1992–1995) at Arizona State University. He coached the running backs for his first three seasons at ASU and worked with the quarterbacks in his fourth year.

Jackson was appointed offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach at California in 1996, leading the Bears to the Aloha Bowl. The following year, Jackson began a four-year stint as the offensive coordinator at the University of Southern California (USC).

While at USC, Jackson helped guide the Trojans in 2000 to the top of the Pac 10 in total offense. In addition, he was responsible for recruiting two Heisman Trophy-winning quarterbacks to USC — Carson Palmer (2002) and Matt Leinart (2004).

The first opportunity in the NFL for Jackson came with the Washington Redskins (now the Washington Commanders). He handled the running back corps for two seasons before being named offensive coordinator in 2003.

In 2004, Jackson began a three-year stretch coaching the wide receivers with the Cincinnati Bengals. Under Jackson's tutelage, Chad Johnson and T.J. Houshmandzadeh combined for 175 receptions for 2,388 yards in 2005, helping the Bengals secure the AFC North title and a playoff berth for the first time in 15 years. The following year, Johnson (1,369 yards) and Houshmandzadeh (1,081 yards) became the first pair of Bengals to eclipse the 1,000-yard receiving mark in a single season.

Jackson left Cincinnati to become the offensive coordinator with the Atlanta Falcons in 2007 before spending two seasons as the quarterback coach with the Baltimore Ravens.

In 2010, Jackson became the offensive coordinator for the Oakland Raiders. After leading the Raiders to a top five finish in scoring (25.6 points/game), Jackson was named head coach for the 2011 season. Oakland finished the year at 8-8.

Jackson started his second tour with the Bengals in 2012 as a secondary assistant and special teams coach. In 2013, he moved back to the offensive side of the ball as the running backs coach. A year later, Jackson was promoted to offensive coordinator.

In 2016, Jackson was hired as the head coach of the Cleveland Browns, where he held the position into the 2018 season. After



his time in Cleveland, Jackson returned to Cincinnati as a special assistant to head coach, Marvin Lewis.

Collegiately, Jackson played quarterback at Pacific after transferring from Glendale Community College. During his career at UOP, he amassed over 3,400 yards in total offense and 19 touchdowns in two seasons. Jackson also earned a letter in basketball as a senior.

Jackson earned a degree in Physical Education from the University of Pacific in 1986.

WHAT THEY ARE SAYING ...

"Grambling and its players are getting the best coach I've ever had. Hue is the reason for my success not just on the field but off, the true meaning of a players coach. I'm excited and happy for him."

– Chad “Ocho Cinco” Johnson
former Cincinnati Bengals Wide Receiver

“He helped me grow so much as a **PLAYER** on the **FIELD**, but more importantly he helped me grow as a **MAN** off the **FIELD**! He is very honest and forthcoming with players which is **RARE**.”

– T. J. Houshmanzadeh
former Cincinnati Bengals Wide Receiver

"We needed a shot in the arm and the AD gave us what we needed. It's time for the family to gather around him."

— **Doug Williams**
former Grambling State quarterback, head coach
and current Washington Commanders Senior Advisor

"Hue will bring a coaching resume and leadership that will give the Grambling program credibility. We all must rally together and support Dear Ole Grambling."

— **James “Shack” Harris** *former Grambling State quarterback and Black College Football Hall of Famer*

JACKSON FILE

Birthplace Los Angeles, California
Hometown Los Angeles, California
High School Dorsey High School
Alma Mater Glendale (Calif.) Community College
 Associates Degree, 1984
 University of the Pacific
 Physical Education, 1986
Playing Experience University of the Pacific (1985-86)
Married Michelle Jackson
Children Baylee, Jordyn and Haydyn Jackson

COACHING EXPERIENCE

1987-89	University of the Pacific (GA/Wide Receivers/Running Backs/Special Teams)
1990-91	Cal State University (Fullerton) Running Backs Coach/Special Teams Coach
1991	London Monarchs Running Backs Coach
1992-94	Arizona State University Running Backs Coach
1995	Arizona State University Quarterbacks Coach
1996	University of California (Berkeley) Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks Coach
1997	University of Southern California (USC) Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks Coach
1998-99	University of Southern California (USC) Offensive Coordinator/Running Backs Coach
2000	University of Southern California (USC) Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks Coach
2001-02	Washington Redskins Running Backs Coach
2003	Washington Redskins Offensive Coordinator
2004-06	Cincinnati Bengals Wide Receivers Coach
2007	Atlanta Falcons Offensive Coordinator
2008-09	Baltimore Ravens Quarterbacks Coach
2010	Oakland Raiders Offensive Coordinator
2011	Oakland Raiders Head Coach
2012	Cincinnati Bengals Secondary Assistant/Special Teams Coach
2013	Cincinnati Bengals Running Backs Coach
2018	Cincinnati Bengals Special Assistant to the Head Coach
2016-18	Cleveland Browns Head Coach
2014-15	Cincinnati Bengals Offensive Coordinator
2021	Tennessee State University Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks Coach
2022-Present	Grambling State University Head Football Coach



JOHN SIMON

ASSISTANT HEAD COACH OFFENSIVE COORDINATOR/WIDE RECEIVERS

Louisiana Tech University, 2001

1st Season as Grambling State Offensive Coordinator/Wide Receivers Coach



John Simon enters his first season as the assistant head coach, offensive coordinator and wide receivers coach at Grambling State University.

Simon comes to Grambling State from Memphis, where he served as the program's recruiting coordinator, passing game coordinator and wide receivers coach. He joined the staff in January 2019.

In his first campaign with the Tigers, Simon helped develop one of the most prolific passing attacks in program history. For only the second time in school history, Memphis rolled up more than 4,000 yards through the air. The Memphis passing game ranked nationally in total yards (seventh), yards/completion (ninth), efficiency (10th), touchdowns (17th) and yards/game (17th). The passing game helped the Tigers rank in the top 10 in scoring offense (eighth) and total offense (10th).

The passing game's success partly relied on Simon's corps that had four Tigers with more than 600 receiving yards. Damon Coxie, an All-American Athletic Conference second team pick, led the conference with 1,276 yards and was eighth nationally. Coxie's 1,276 yards were the third-highest for a season in program history and also made him one of only two Tigers with multiple 1,000-yard receiving campaigns in school history (Anthony Miller).

Simon's receiving attack, though, didn't stop with Coxie. Antonio Gibson, another All-AAC second team selection at wide receiver, piled up 735 yards, and Kedarian Jones added 609 yards. Kenneth Gainwell, The American's Rookie of the Year, hauled in 610 receiving yards out of the backfield.

In his role as recruiting coordinator, Simon helped elevate those efforts to unprecedented levels in program history. Memphis' 2020 signing class was the third-best outside the ACC, Big Ten, Big 12, Pac-12 and SEC, according to 247sports.com. Simon and the rest of the staff continued to ride that recruiting wave of momentum into head coach Ryan Silverfield's first full campaign, as the 2021 class ranks in the top 35 entering the 2020 season.

Prior to coming to the Bluff City, Simon spent two seasons as the associate head coach and running backs coach at Arizona State. Simon, a former NFL back, also had stints in the college game at Louisiana-Lafayette and Southern Miss and in high school football in Dallas, Texas.

Hailing from Baton Rouge, Simon played his college ball at Louisiana Tech from 1998-2001. He gained more than 4,000 all-purpose yards and caught a pass in a then-NCAA record 36 consecutive games. In his senior season (2001), he helped the Bulldogs to the program's first Western Athletic Conference (WAC) championship and a bowl appearance in 11 seasons. Simon, who moved to wide receiver his senior campaign, received the 2001 Humanitarian Award at the Humanitarian Bowl and was the recip-

ient of the Louisiana Tech President's Award.

After college, Simon spent three seasons in the NFL. He was a member of the Tennessee Titans roster in 2002 and spent the 2003-04 season with the Washington Redskins (now the Washington Commanders). Following his professional career, Simon worked as a motivational speaker and created his own non-profit organization, I.M.A.G.E., which focused on improving minority areas and helping at-risk youth.

In 2008, Simon began coaching at Franklin D. Roosevelt High School in Dallas. After a stint as the receivers coach in 2008, he moved to the team's defensive coordinator role in 2009. He then spent the 2010 season as the special teams coordinator, secondary coach and athletics director. In 2011, he capped his high school coaching career as the interim head coach and athletics director. He moved into administration full-time in 2012, serving as the school's athletics director.

In 2013, Simon entered the college coaching ranks at Southern Miss as the program's running backs coach. Under his guidance, running backs Jalen Richard and Ito Smith combined for more than 3,000 total yards, including 2,200 yards on the ground, and 29 total touchdowns in 2015. Southern Miss was one of just five programs in FBS to have two running backs with 1,000 rushing yards in 2015. Smith ranked 18th nationally with 134 all-purpose yards per game that same season.

Richard and Smith, an all-conference duo under Simon's tutelage, also combined for more than 800 receiving yards in 2015. That season, the Golden Eagles set five season records, grabbed 10 wins and the Conference USA West Division title and earned a Zaxby's Heart of Dallas Bowl berth against Washington.

Simon joined the staff at Louisiana-Lafayette in 2016 as the program's wide receivers coach. He then moved to Arizona State in 2017. On the Sun Devils staff, Simon served as an associate head coach and worked with the running backs, helping the group account for 27 rushing touchdowns in 2017 and 26 rushing touchdowns in 2018. Kalen Ballage finished 26th in the nation and second in the Pac-12 with 14 rushing touchdowns in 2017. In a win over Texas Tech, Ballage tied an FBS record with eight total TD (7 rush/1 receive). Both Ballage (44 catches) and Demario Richard (17 catches) finished with double-digit receptions.

According to Pro Football Focus, the Sun Devils finished the 2017 regular season with the 30th-highest graded rushing game, an improvement of 11 spots from the 2016 campaign. In 2018, sophomore Eno Benjamin rushed for 1,642 yards, an Arizona State season record, and scored 16 touchdowns. He earned All-Pac-12 first team honors.

Simon and his wife, Cecelia, have two children — John IV and James.

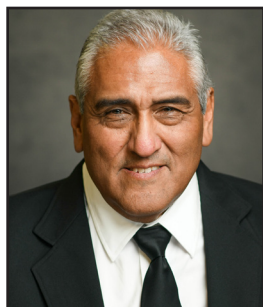
SIMON FILE

Birthplace	Baton Rouge, Louisiana
Hometown	Baton Rouge, Louisiana
High School	Southern Lab High School
Alma Mater	Louisiana Tech, 2001
.....	Bachelor's Degree in Business, 2001
.....	Dallas Baptist University
Playing Experience	Louisiana Tech University (1998-2001)
.....	Tennessee Titans (2002)
.....	Washington Redskins (2003-04)
Married	Cecelia Simon
Children	John IV and James Simon

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2008	Franklin D. Roosevelt High School
.....	Wide Receivers Coach
2009	Franklin D. Roosevelt High School
.....	Assistant Head Coach/Defensive Coordinator
2010	Franklin D. Roosevelt High School
.....	Assistant Athletic Director/Special Teams Coordinator
2011	Franklin D. Roosevelt High School
.....	Athletic Director/Interim Head Coach
2012	Franklin D. Roosevelt High School
.....	Athletic Director
2013-15	University of Southern Miss
.....	Running Backs Coach
2016	University of Louisiana
.....	Wide Receivers Coach
2017-18	Arizona State University
.....	Running Backs Coach
2019-20	University of Memphis
.....	Passing Game Coordinator/Wide Receivers Coach
2022-Present	Grambling State University
.....	Assistant Head Coach/Offensive Coordinator/Wide Receivers Coach





KEN DELGADO

DEFENSIVE LINE

San Jose State University, 1987

1st Season as Grambling State Defensive Line Coach



Ken Delgado enters his first year as the defensive line coach at Grambling State University.

Delgado, who brings a wealth of experience at the collegiate and professional level, comes to Grambling State from Kenyon College in Ohio where he served as the defensive line and special teams coach during the 2021 season.

Prior to Kenyon College, Delgado was a defensive line assistant with the Cleveland Browns from 2016-2018.

Before his time in the NFL, Delgado amassed more than 25 years of coaching, mainly at NCAA Division I institutions. He spent time as a defensive line coach at Western Kentucky University, Eastern Michigan University, University of Louisville,

University of Utah and his alma mater San Jose State University.

From 1994 through 2001, Delgado was the defensive coordinator at San Diego State University. Following that stint, he moved on to the University of California, where he took on duties as both defensive line coach and assistant head coach for five seasons.

Delgado has been involved in 14 bowl games during his coaching career and he's helped develop 11 players, including three first-round picks and two All-Pro's, who went on to play in the NFL.

He is a 1987 graduate of San Jose State, where earned a bachelor's degree in business administration.



DELGADO FILE

Birthplace	San Jose, California
Hometown	San Jose, California
High School	Yerba Buena High School
Alma Mater	San Jose State University
.....	Bachelor's Degree/Business Management, 1985
Playing Experience	Santa Clara University (1980)
.....	Chabot College (1981)
.....	San Jose State University (1982-83)
Married	Beverly Delgado
Children	Virginia and David Delgado

COACHING EXPERIENCE

1986-87	San Jose State University
.....	(GA/Defense)
1988-92	San Jose State University
.....	Defensive Line Coach
1993	University of Utah
.....	Defensive Line Coach
1994-99	San Diego State University
.....	Defensive Line Coach
2000-01	San Diego State University
.....	Defensive Coordinator
2002-07	University of California
.....	Defensive Line Coach
2008-09	University of Louisville
.....	Defensive Line Coach
2010-13	Eastern Michigan University
.....	Defensive Line Coach
2014-15	Western Kentucky University
.....	Defensive Line Coach
2016-18	Cleveland Browns
.....	Assistant Defensive Line Coach
2021	Kenyon College
.....	Defensive Line Coach, Special Teams Coordinator
2022-Present	Grambling State University
.....	Defensive Line Coach



SAEED LEE

CORNERBACKS

Alabama State University, 2013

1st Season as Grambling State Cornerbacks Coach



Saeed Lee begins his first year as the cornerbacks coach at Grambling State University.

Lee comes to Grambling State after spending three years at Morehouse as the defensive backs coach.

While at Morehouse, Lee guided the 2021 Tigers defense to many top-10 defensive statistical categories, including first in the SIAC in interceptions, third in the nation in blocked punts, seventh in the nation in defensive touchdowns and ninth in the nation in turnover margin.

Lee coached Armani Maddox, who was a 2021 Dan Hansen Division II TCFBN HBCU All-American. In addition, he coached Maddox, Daniel Norman, Marquez Pride and Dedrick Vanover as four-year all-conference selections.

Maddox led the conference in interceptions and passes defended during the 2021 season, while Norman posted nine sacks and 16.5 tackles for loss. Pride led the conference in average punt return yards. Vanover, in 2019, led the conference in interceptions and passes defended.

Prior to coaching at Morehouse, Lee was the defensive backs and special teams coordinator from 2015-18 at Hapeville Charter High School. During his time at Hapeville, Lee saw the Hornets win the 2017 2A State Championship, where the defense surren-

dered 8.7 points per game. Lee's defense gave up 9.1 points in 2016 and 5.3 points in 2018. During the four seasons, Lee's group scored 14 special teams touchdowns and the defense recorded 48 interceptions.

He coached all-state defensive backs Chris Smith (Georgia), Will Poole (Georgia), Malik Flemming (East Carolina), Tajiri Smith (Kansas State), Armani Maddox (Morehouse) and MJ Latimer (West Georgia). In addition, Poole and Smith were Four-Star All-American.

Lee was a four-year letterman at Alabama State University as a walk-on from 2009-2012. He earned several accolades as a defensive back, including the 2011 BOXTOROW, BSN and FCS All-American, All-SWAC, 2012 CFPA Award Watch List Finalist and 2013 Raycom All-Star Game Participant.

After four years at Alabama State, Lee played one year in the NFL with the Atlanta Falcons.

Lee, a native of Miami, Fla., was an All-Dade County defensive back at Miami Southridge High School. He graduated in 2013 from Alabama State with a Bachelors Degree in Special Education.

Lee is married to wife, Dominique, and the two have four kids, Zuri, Zion, Zara and Zyla.

LEE FILE

BirthplaceMiami, Florida
HometownMiami, Florida
High SchoolSouthridge High School
Alma MaterAlabama State University
Bachelor's Degree in Special Education, 2013
Playing ExperienceAlabama State University (2009-2012)
Atlanta Falcons (2013)
MarriedDominique Lee
ChildrenZuri, Zion, Zara and Zyla Lee

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2015-18.....Hapeville Charter High School
Defensive Backs/Special Teams Coordinator

2019-21..... Morehouse College
Cornerbacks Coach

2022-Present Grambling State University
Cornerbacks Coach





TIM MCTYER

SAFETIES

Brigham Young University, 1997

1st Season as Grambling State Safeties Coach

Tim McTyer begins his first year as the safeties coach at Grambling State University.

McTyer comes to Grambling State after spending the past three years as the defensive coordinator and defensive backs coach at Adelanto High School. Prior to Adelanto, McTyer worked as the defensive backs coach for Don Yee's HubFootball in San Diego, Calif.

McTyer served as an assistant volunteer defensive backs coach for the NFL Player Association Player Services in January of 2017.

In 2010, McTyer was named the head football coach at Banning Senior High School in Wilmington, Calif., where he served in that capacity for two years.

Prior to the head coaching stint at Banning, McTyer worked as a defensive backs coach in the NFL High School Development camp from 2009-2011. He also served as the defensive backs coach at Los Angeles Southwest College.

McTyer returned back to Gardena Senior High School in 2006

and spent two years as the defensive coordinator and defensive backs coach. Before Gardena, he worked in the same capacity at Morningside High School in 2005.

Before Morningside, McTyer began his coaching career at Gardena Senior High School in Gardena, Calif. from 2003-2004 as the defensive backs coach.

Prior to being a coach, McTyer played two seasons in the NFL with the Philadelphia Eagles and one season with the Cleveland Browns.

McTyer received his Associate of Arts Degree in Administration of Justice from Los Angeles Southwest College in 1995 and earned his Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree in Media Production in 2009 from American InterContinental University. McTyer received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Sociology from Brigham Young University (BYU) in 1997 and completed his Masters of Sciences Degree in Physical Education/Exercise and Sport Science from the University of Central Missouri in 2013.



McTYER FILE

Birthplace Los Angeles, California
Hometown Los Angeles, California
High School Washington High School
Alma Mater Southwest College
 Associates Degree in Administration of Justice, 1995
 Brigham Young University
 Bachelor of Science in Sociology, 1997
 University of Central Missouri
 Masters of Sciences Degree in Physical Education
 Exercise & Sports Sciences, 2013
Playing Experience Brigham Young University (1985-86)
 Philadelphia Eagles (1997-98)
 Cleveland Browns (1999)
Children Torrey McTyer
 Torrey McTyer Jr. (Grand Son)

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2003-04 Gardena Senior High School
 Defensive Backs Coach
 2005 Morningside High School
 Defensive Backs Coach
 2006-08 Gardena Senior High School
 Defensive Coordinator
 2009-11 NFL High School Development Camp
 Defensive Backs Coach
 2009-11 Los Angeles Southwest College
 Defensive Backs Coach
 2010-12 Banning Senior High School
 Head Coach
 2014-15 Don Yee's HubFootball
 Defensive Backs Coach
 2017 NFL Player Association Player Services
 Assistant Volunteer Defensive Backs Coach
 2018-21 Adelanto High School
 Defensive Coordinator/Defensive Backs Coach
 2022-Present Grambling State University
 Safeties Coach





RYAN WESTON

TIGHT ENDS

Bates College, 2013

1st Season as Grambling State Offensive Line Coach

Ryan Weston begins his first season as the tight ends coach at Grambling State University.

Weston joins Grambling State after serving as the offensive coordinator at Denison University.

In his first season with the Big Red, Weston worked with the wide receivers. Head Coach Jack Hatem promoted Weston to Offensive Coordinator in the Spring of 2021.

The 2020 Fall season was canceled due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, but in Weston's first full season at Denison in 2021, the Big Red finished 6-4 overall and 6-3 in the conference, which was tied for fourth place.

Weston moved to Denison after seven seasons at Husson University in Bangor, Maine, where he coached positions on both sides of the ball. He spent the 2019 season as the Eagles' Interim

Defensive Coordinator.

In 2017, Weston moved to defense, coaching cornerbacks after four years on offense coaching wide receivers, tight ends, and the offensive line. In seven seasons at Husson, the Eagles posted a record of 50-22. Weston earned his MBA from Husson in May of 2021.

Prior to his arrival at Husson, Weston spent two seasons coaching at his alma mater, Bates College, where he served as an assistant offensive line coach. Weston earned a Bachelor of Science in African American Studies from Bates in 2013. He was a four-year letter winner in football and was named the team's offensive MVP while earning second team All-NESCAC in 2010. Weston was also a four-year member of the men's basketball team at Bates.



WESTON FILE

Birthplace Bangor, Maine
Hometown Bangor, Maine
High School Bangor High School
Alma Mater Bates College
..... Bachelor's Degree, 2013
Playing Experience Bates College (2009-13)
Married Katy Brochu

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2012-13 Bates College
..... Assistant Offensive Line Coach
2014-19 Husson University
..... Interim Defensive Coordinator/Cornerbacks Coach
..... Wide Receivers Coach/Tight Ends Coach /Offensive Line Coach
2021 Denison University
..... Offensive Coordinator
2022-Present Grambling State University
..... Tight Ends Coach



KRIS PETERS

RUNNING BACKS

Alcorn State University, 2003

1st Season as Grambling State Running Backs Coach

Kris Peters begins his first year the running backs coach at Grambling State University.

Peters comes to Grambling State after spending the previous 12 years in the high school ranks as an offensive coordinator at West St. John High School, Scotlandville Magnet High School and East St. John High School.

Peters was a two-sport athlete — baseball and football — at Alcorn State University. On the gridiron, Peters was selected a 2001 Don Hansen FCS All-American and All-Southwestern Athletic Conference (SWAC) wide receiver, 2002 Lindy's FCS All-American and All-SWAC wide receiver.

While at Alcorn State, Peters finished his career with 118 catches for 1,829 yards, along with 24 touchdowns. He also

became the fastest wide receiver in school history to reach the 20-touchdown plateau.

In 2016, Peters was voted one of the top 50 greatest players in Alcorn State University history.

On the baseball diamond, Peters was a 2002 All-SWAC First Team selection as centerfielder and a 2003 Preseason SWAC Player of the Year.

Peters graduated from Alcorn State in 2003 with a Bachelor's Degree in Health and Physical Education. He is a native of Baton Rouge, La., where he attended Southern Lab High School, where he lettered in baseball and football.

Peters has two children, Nijah Harris and Matt Jones.



PETERS FILE

Birthplace (from)..... Baton Rouge, Louisiana
Hometown..... Baton Rouge, Louisiana
High School..... Southern Lab High School
Alma Mater..... Alcorn State University
 Bachelor's Degree in Health and Physical Education, 2003
Playing Experience..... Alcorn State University (1999-2003)
Children..... Nijah Harris and Matt Jones

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2008-15.....West St. John High School
Offensive Coordinator
2018.....East St. John High School
Offensive Coordinator
2015-17; 2019-21.....Scotlandville Magnet High School
Offensive Coordinator
2022-PresentGrambling State University
Running Backs Coach





DEVANTE KINCADE

QUARTERBACKS

Grambling State University, 2018

1st Season as Grambling State Head Coach

Devante Kincade begins his first season as the Quarterbacks coach at Grambling State University.

Kincade is no stranger to Grambling State, having played two seasons as quarterback for the Black and Gold.

Kincade, who was the first Southwestern Athletic Conference (SWAC) student-athlete to earn Player of the Week five consecutive weeks, guide the Tigers to back-to-back SWAC Championships and Celebration Bowl appearances.

In his junior season, Kincade went 219 of 342 passing, with 31 touchdown passes and just four interceptions in 2016. In addition, he threw for 2,999 yards during his senior season as Grambling State defeated Alcorn State in the SWAC Championship game and North Carolina Central to win the Celebration Bowl.

One year later, as a senior, Kincade threw for 2,905 and was 217 of 368 passing, with 23 touchdown passes and four interceptions. On the ground, he rushed 120 times for 408 yards and six scores.

Among his accolades, Kincade earned back-to-back Bayou Classic MVPs, All-SWAC First Team and SWAC Offensive MVP honors. He also was a two-time recipient of the Big Ben Award, the 2016 SBN Doug Williams Offensive Player of the Year honor, the 2016 SWAC Newcomer of the Year and a Walter Payton Finalist.

Prior to attending Grambling State, Kincade, a standout student-athlete at Skyline High School in Dallas, Texas, spent two years at Ole Miss.

While at Skyline, Kincade played basketball and football. On the football field, he helped the team to a 22-3 record, with 37 touchdowns, eight interceptions and 3,270 yards as a junior. He added 131 rushes for 857 yards and 17 scores on the ground. In addition, he was voted the 9-5A Offensive MVP following the season, as well as second team All State.

Kincade graduated from Grambling State University with a Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice in 2018.



KINCADE FILE

Birthplace Dallas, Texas
 Hometown Dallas, Texas
 High School Skyline High School
 Alma Mater Grambling State University
 Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice, 2018
 Playing Experience University of Mississippi (2013-15)
 Grambling State University (2016-17)
 Hamilton Tiger-Cats (2019)
 Children Devonte Kincade Jr.

COACHING EXPERIENCE

2022-Present Grambling State University
 Quarterbacks Coach





CHRIS SCOTT

GENERAL MANAGER

Texas Christian University, 2012

1st Season at Grambling State

Chris Scott begins his first season as the General Manager of the football program at Grambling State University.

Scott comes to Grambling State after spending two years as the recruiting coordinator for the defense at the University of Houston. Prior to Houston, Scott spent three seasons at SMU, the last as a defensive quality control analyst after two seasons as a defensive graduate assistant.

In 2016, Scott helped SMU's defense statistically become one of the 10 most-improved in college football. The Mustangs ranked seventh nationally in interceptions per game, and SMU secondary was responsible for 16 of the 18 picks. Following the season, defensive backs Darriin Millines and Horace Richardson, who each ranked in the top 15 for interceptions in 2016, were named to The American's First Team.

Scott spent the 2015 season as an assistant coach at Southern University, where he coached cornerbacks.

Scott began his career as a corners coach at Irving Nimitz High School (2012) before moving on to Katy Tompkins High School for the 2013-14 seasons as a Defensive / Special Teams Coordinator.

A TCU alum, Scott was a three-year letterman for the Horned Frogs, playing on two BCS bowl teams, including the Rose Bowl Championship squad in 2010.



MICHAEL LOMBARDO

VIDEO AND TECHNOLOGY DIRECTOR

Middle Tennessee State, 2013

1st Season at Grambling State

Michael Lombardo begins his first season as the Video and Technology Director at Grambling State University.

Lombardo comes to Grambling State after nearly a year as the video coordinator at Florida International University (FIU). Prior to FIU, Lombardo worked a year in St. Louis as team video manager in the XFL, and also spent four months in XOS Digital in coaching solutions and support.

Before working in the greater Boston area for XOS Digital, Lombardo served as a coaches video assistant/defensive video breakdown at Virginia Tech University from 2004-15.

Prior to working in Blacksburg, Lombardo spent six months in Nashville as a member of the Tennessee Titans as a video assistant. He shot and broke down practices, drills, private workouts, OTAs, with X/Os thunder software. In addition, his other duties included setting up the field lifts for angles, coordinating with groundskeeper, along with working one-on-ones with coaches, scouts, and players to view drills and games.

In 2014, before his time in Tennessee, Lombardo worked with the Alabama Hammers of the Arena Football League as a video coordinator and assistant defensive line coach.

Lombardo got his started for the Nashville Kats as a video assistant, before serving as a football video assistant at Middle Tennessee State in 2006.

Lombardo attended Nashville State Community College between 2011-12, and Middle Tennessee State between 2012-13.



ADIN TRUJILO

OFFENSIVE ANALYST

Montana State University, 2021

1st Season at Grambling State

Adin Trujillo begins his first season as the Offensive Analyst at Grambling State University.

Trujillo comes to Grambling State after spending the 2021 season as the offensive quality control quarterbacks coach for the University of the Incarnate Word in San Antonio, Texas, where the Cardinals lost in the second round of the FCS Playoffs.

Prior to Incarnate Word, Trujillo received his bachelor's degree and majored in History, while the offensive student assistant at Montana State University. In addition, he also was the offensive coordinator quarterbacks coach.

Before Montana State, he served as the offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach in 2019 for San Joaquin Memorial High School in Fresno, Calif.

In 2018, Trujillo was a defensive student assistant at Sacramento State.

The Exeter, Calif. native was a three-sport letterman, playing football, wrestling and track, at Exeter High School. In 2015, Trujillo played quarterback at the College of the Sequoias before closing out his collegiate career as the quarterback for Everett Community College in Everett, Wash., where a knee injury ended his season.



NATHANIEL LEONARD

DIRECTOR OF STRENGTH & CONDITIONING

Grambling State, 2012

1st Season at Grambling State

Nathaniel Leonard begins his first season as the Director of Strength and Conditioning at Grambling State University.

Prior to joining Grambling State, Leonard was the assistant director of strength and conditioning at the University of Buffalo.

Leonard came to Buffalo from Prairie View A&M where he spent three years as head football strength and conditioning coach.

Prior to PVAMU, Leonard spent one year at Western Kentucky at assistant strength and conditioning coach overseeing football, cross country and track and field. From 2015-17, he was in a similar role at North Carolina A&T State, and began his career in strength and conditioning as a graduate assistant at Grambling State.

Leonard, who played collegiately at Southern Miss and Grambling, earned both his Bachelors' degree in leisure studies and Masters degree in Sports Science from Grambling State.





RICHARD J. GALLOT, JR.
PRESIDENT

6th Year at Grambling State University

The Tenth President in Grambling State University History

Richard “Rick” Joseph Gallot, Jr., JD assumed the role of the tenth of Grambling State University President on August 1, 2016. The fourth alumnus to hold the prestigious position, he received a bachelor’s degree from Grambling State University in 1987. He continued his education at the Southern University Law Center in Baton Rouge where he earned a law degree.

President Gallot has a leadership style reminiscent of the university's second president, Ralph Waldo Emerson Jones. His transformational vision, engaging personality, and student-oriented focus has garnered him the title of Prez to all that encounter him.

Over the past six years, President Gallot has overseen several initiatives that reinvigorated the academic enterprise at Grambling State University. Some of the most significant include: reaffirmation of accreditation by SACSCOC, an increase in the first-to-second year retention rate from 60 percent to 77 percent; 200% improvement in the fiscal health score, relaunch of the undergraduate nursing program, launch of Louisiana's only bachelor's degree programs in cloud computing and cybersecurity, and approval of the first PhD program in criminology and justice administration. Because he understands the importance of corporate relationships and institutional longevity, several national partnerships were formed including, Lumen-formerly CenturyLink, AT&T, Coca-Cola, and SodexoMAGIC, which included a \$5 million upgrade to McCall Dining Center.

President Gallot's vision of what Grambling State can be extended beyond the classroom and materialized into several campus-wide construction and renovation projects that foster the environment scholars deserve. He is particularly proud of the nearly-completed digital library, the first of its kind in the state of Louisiana and among all HBCUs in the nation; expansion of the intramural center, completion of the C.D. Henry Natatorium, resurfacing of the football field at Eddie G. Robinson Memorial Stadium, razing of several dilapidated buildings, upgrades to the drainage system, and much needed enhancements to cam-



pus-wide WIFI.

Prior to taking the helm at GSU, the Grambling native served the constituents of North Louisiana as a representative and senator in the Louisiana Legislature for 15 years and also enjoyed a thriving law practice in the neighboring city of Ruston as an attorney.

When he is not serving as Tiger-In-Chief at “The Place Where Everybody is Somebody” he enjoys spending time with his wife Christy and their four sons.

Armed with the resolve to continually raise the profile of the institution that prepared him to achieve, President Gallot is unwavering in his belief that there is no vision too big or too bold for Grambling State University.



THE RICK GALLOT FILE

EDUCATION

• Southern University Law Center, Baton Rouge, LA J.D. - 1990 • John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA - 2003

Honors: Senior Executives in State & Local Government
Program • Grambling State University, Grambling, LA
B.A. - 1987

Honors: National Dean's List, Academic Merit Scholar With Honors,
Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities, Presidential Merit Scholar
Major: History

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- President, Grambling State University
August 1, 2016 - Present
- CLECO Corporation, 2016 - Present
Board of Directors Member, Audit Committee Leadership
Development & Compensation Committee
Governance & Public Relations Committee
- Gallot Law Office, 1990-Present
- Louisiana State Senate, 2012-2016
State Senator, District 29
Vice Chairman, Commerce Committee
Member, Agriculture & Revenue & Fiscal Affairs
- Louisiana House of Representatives, 2000-2012
State Representative, District 11
Chairman, House & Governmental Affairs Committee
- Member, House Executive Committee,
Judiciary and Civil Law
- City of Grambling - City Councilman, 1995-1999
- Louisiana Appellate Project, 1996-1998
- Grambling State University, 1990-1991
Adjunct Professor, Departments of History
and Criminal Justice

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Outstanding Young Men of America, 1988
- Lincoln Parish Outstanding Young Person
Ruston Jaycees, 1998
- 10 Leaders of the New Century in N.W.
Louisiana - Shreveport Times, 2001
- Legislator of the Month, Louisiana Municipal
Association, June 2001
- Legislator of the Year, National Conference of
Black Mayors, 2002
- Friend of the L.M.A. - Louisiana Mutual
Association, 2002 and 2003
- National Conference of State Legislatures,
Co-Chair of Redistricting and Elections
Committee , 2007-Present
- Grambling State University Alumni Hall of Fame
2007 - Present
- BV Peer Review Rated-Lexis/Nexis Martindale-
Hubbell, 2009-Present
- Top 100 Trial Lawyers-The American Trial
Lawyers Association, 2009-Present
- Southern University Law Center Alumni
Hall of Fame, 2012-Present
- The Ohio State University Graduate School
Leadership Award, 1979
- Competent Toastmaster Award (CTM),
Toastmasters International, 1984
- Kellogg National Fellowship Program,
participant, 1989-91

FRATERNITIES

- Kappa Alpha Psi
- Phi Alpha Delta



TRAYVEAN SCOTT, Ph.D.

VICE PRESIDENT FOR INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS

2nd Year at Grambling State University



Trayvean D. Scott, Ph.D. was hired as the Vice President of Intercollegiate Athletics at Grambling State University on July 1, 2021.

In his first year at Grambling State, Scott directed all 15 varsity athletic programs, overseeing a transformation in athletics as the institution took a step forward into the future. He was instrumental in many ongoing projects during his first year, including signing a partnership agreement with the Urban Edge Network, which will allow Grambling State to have its own streaming platform. In addition, Scott spearheaded many sponsorship agreements.

Scott was also very instrumental in his first head coaching hire as Hue Jackson was named the 14th football coach in the program's history.

Scott came to Grambling State after spending 10 years at Southern University where he was the Deputy Athletic Director/Chief Operating Officer and was responsible for the daily operations of the SU athletic programs.

While at Southern, Scott, who served as the sport administrator for football, women's basketball, softball, and men & women's track & field (indoor & outdoor and cross country), oversaw NCAA Compliance, Student-Athlete Support Services, Academics, Student-Athlete Development, as well as the Strength & Conditioning program.

Scott was also responsible for football game scheduling. He served as a member of the athletics department's senior staff, and previously served as Southern's Executive Athletic Director.

Throughout his professional career, Scott continues to be active on the university, conference, and national levels. He graduated in 2016 from the prestigious NCAA Leadership Institute for



Ethnic Minorities, 2018 of the Sports Management Institute (SMI) and facilitated the NCAA's Career in Sports Forum in 2016 while also serving as a member of the selection committee.

Scott is currently a member of the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics (NACDA), National Association of Academic & Student-Athlete Development Professionals (N4A),

the Minority Opportunities Athletic Association (MOAA), the National Association for Athletics Compliance (NAAC), the National Association of Athletic Development Professionals (NAADD) where he was the Diversity Initiative recipient in 2015 and 2016, respectively.

During his time at Southern, Scott spearheaded an unprecedented academic recovery of Southern Athletics as it relates to the Academic Progress Rate, making a dramatic improvement from 3 to all 15 programs meeting the APR benchmarks, earning post-season access after just two full years in charge.

Scott, who has written more than \$2 million in grants to support academic and student development initiatives, also guided the institution through the successful completion of the NCAA Data Review process and served as the author and principal investigator of the \$900,000 NCAA AASP Grant.

A former standout basketball student-athlete, four-year starter, and team captain at Southern, Scott remains atop the school's record books in assists, steals, and minutes played. After his collegiate playing career was over, Scott enjoyed a successful career in financial services until returning to his alma mater in 2011.

Outside of athletics administration, Scott was an adjunct faculty member in the College of Business at Southern where he taught courses in Business Administration, Management, and Sports Marketing. He holds bachelor's in marketing (2003) & Management (2005) and a Master's Degree in Communications (2005) from Southern University. In addition, he completed his Ph.D. in Education/Sport Management in 2018 from Northcentral University.



GRAMBLING STATE ATHLETICS EXECUTIVE TEAM



TAYLOR STEWART
Chief of Staff
Associate AD
for External Relations



KARMEN C. KING
Senior Associate AD for
Compliance and Academics
Title IX Coordinator



BRIAN HOWARD
Senior Associate AD
Athletic Communications



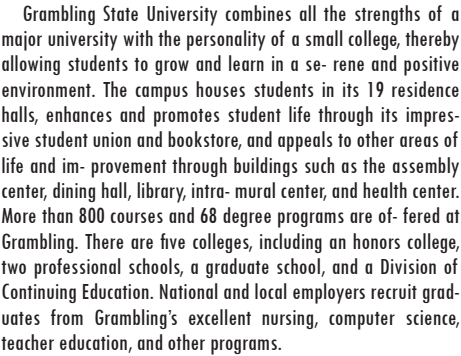
WANDA CURRIE
Associate AD
for Internal Operations
SWA



KENITA STOKES
Associate AD
for Academic Services



TERENCE BRADFORD
Athletics Business Manager



MISSION

Grambling State University is a community of learners who strive for excellence in their pursuit of knowledge and who seek to contribute to their respective major academic disciplines. The University prepares its graduates to compete and succeed in careers related to its programs of study, to contribute to the advancement of knowledge, and to lead productive lives as informed citizens in a democratic society. The University provides its students a living and learning environment which nurtures their development for leadership in academics, athletics, cam-



The University expects that all persons who matriculate and who are employed at Grambling will reflect through their study and work that the University is indeed a place where all persons are valued, "where everybody is somebody."

Grambling State University opened on November 1, 1901 as the Colored Industrial and Agricultural School. It was founded by the North Louisiana Colored Agriculture Relief Association, organized in 1896 by a group of African-American farmers who wanted to organize and operate a school for African Americans in their region of the state.

In 1905, the school moved to its present location and was renamed the North Louisiana Agricultural and Industrial School. By 1928, after becoming a state junior college and being renamed the Louisiana Negro Normal and Industrial Institute, the school began to award two-year professional certificates and diplomas. In 1936, the curriculum emphasis shifted to rural teacher education; students were able to receive professional teaching certificates after completing a third academic year. The first baccalaureate degree was awarded in 1944, in elementary education.

In 1946, the school became Grambling College, named after P.G. Grambling, the white sawmill owner who had donated the parcel of land where the school was constructed. In addition to elementary educators, Grambling prepared secondary teachers and added curricula in sciences, liberal arts and business, transforming the college from a single purpose institution of teacher education into a multipurpose college. In 1949, the col-

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lege earned its first accreditation by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS).

In 1974, the addition of graduate programs in early childhood and elementary education gave the school a new status and a new name — Grambling State University. The university expanded and prospered between 1977 and 2000. Several new academic programs were in- corporated and new facilities were added to the 384-acre campus, including a business and computer science building, school of nursing, student services building, stadium, stadi- um support facility and an intramural sports center.

UNIVERSITY PRESIDENTS

Following Founding President Charles P. Adams, who served for 35 years, Ralph Waldo Emerson Jones became the second president in 1936. Five presidents served from 1977 to 2001: Dr. Joseph Benjamin Johnson, Dr. Harold W. Lundy, Dr. Raymond Hicks, Dr. Leonard Haynes III and Dr. Steve A. Favors. Grambling State University's first female president, Dr. Neari Francois Warner, served a three-year interim term until the selection of Dr. Horace Judson, who became the in- stitution's seventh president in 2004. After leading an ambi- tious five-year campaign to re- build the institution's facilities, Judson resigned in 2009. After Judson's resignation, Frank G. Pogue, Ph.D., a highly respected educator and administrator with a distinguished 47-year career in higher education was named GSU's president.

Prior to his selection as president, Dr. Pogue served as the president of Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, interim presi- dent at Chicago State University and State University of New York (SUNY)-Cobleskill. Dr. Pogue retired after serving a five-year term as president, and Dr. Cynthia Warrick, Ph.D., RPh. was named as interim president in 2014 during the presidential search.

Warrick ventured into higher education 16 years ago serv- ing in multi-faceted leadership roles as an administrator, public ser- vant, healthcare professional, environmental re- search scientist, faculty member, and accreditation reviewer.

Dr. Willie D. Larkin, Ph.D. was named ninth university presi- dent in 2015 (May) and server a one-year term. Dr. Larkin had previously served as Chief of Staff to leaders of Morgan State University and the University of Wisconsin Colleges, where he worked directly with the chancellor, and the president at Morgan State University, to provide oversight of nearly 3,000 employees and an operating budget of more than \$300 million. At Auburn University, he was the faculty advisor to the university's Board of

Trustees and the first African American to chair the university's 90-member University Senate.

Our current president is Richard J. Gallot, Jr. The University of Louisiana System (ULS) Board of Supervisors announced (07/26/2016) that the tenth President of Grambling State University (GSU) will be former Louisiana state senator, and state representative, Richard J. Gallot, Jr. Gallot is a 1987 GSU graduate where he received a bachelor of arts in Arts & His- tory. He earned his Juris Doctorate from Southern University in 1990. From 2000 to 2012, Gallot held the District 11 seat in the Lou- isiana House of Representatives. He served three terms in the house before winning his first term in the senate in 2011. Gallot did not seek re-election in the October 24, 2015 election.

THE CAMPUS

Located in the small north central Louisiana town of Gram- bling, Grambling State University offers a personalized edu- cational experience with a big city atmosphere. The cam- pus houses students in its 19 residence halls, enhances and promotes student life through its impressive student union and bookstore, and appeals to other areas of life and im- provement through buildings such as the dining hall, library, intramural center, and health center. More than 800 courses and 68 degree programs are offered at Grambling.

There are five colleges, including an honors college, two pro- fessional schools, a graduate school, and a Division of Continuing Ed- ucation. National and local employers recruit graduates from Grambling's excellent nursing, computer science, teacher educa- tion, and other programs. We encourage you to visit Grambling State University and discover why Grambling State University is Where Everybody is Somebody.

CAMPUS LIFE

Grambling State University recognizes that clubs and so- cial organizations are an important part of college life. By joining one of these, students discover an avenue to meet new faces with similar interests and have the opportunity to learn about new subjects. As students' commitments to their clubs develop, leadership positions may be another step within the activity's hierarchy that a student can explore.

One of the most popular campus organizations is the Tiger Marching Band, touted as the number one collegiate show band in the world. Formed in 1926 by President R.W.E. Jones, the

Mighty Tiger Marching Band has become a household name. The band has been featured in television ads, the major motion pic- ture Drumlina, appeared as guest entertain- ment on televisions shows, and entertained Liberian President William R. Tolbert at his 1972 inauguration. In 1999, the band was selected to repre- sent the Pageantry of Bands section of the NCAA Hall of Fame. Through an impressive list of accomplishments and honors, the Grambling Tiger Band has become known as "The Best In The Land."

Intercollegiate athletics has also made Grambling State Uni- versity a household name among national universities. The foot- ball program has been successful in landing prominent coaching staffs over the years. Professional football player, Doug Williams, a Super Bowl Most Valuable Player, served as head football coach, succeeding Coach Eddie Robinson, the "winningest coach in the history of football." Known as the "Cradle of Pros," Grambling also produced the first black football player in the NFL and the first black quarter- back to start in the NFL.

ACADEMIC SUPPORT

Under the watch of Provost and Vice President Dr. Robert M. Dixon, the Office of the Provost & Vice President for Ac- ademic Affairs is designed to provide leadership and super- vision for all undergraduate and graduate degree programs. Continuing edu- cation initiatives, the military science pro- gram, and a variety of support and outreach units also fall under its auspices.

The office espouses a philosophy of excellence from which a rigorous plan for enhancing and strengthening the academ- ic environment continuously evolves. The office is committed to re- alizing the overarching goals of preparing students for success in their chosen careers, motivating them to pursue graduate and advanced study, and equipping them with skills for effective in- teraction with diverse groups of people. To this end, the instruc- tional program is delivered through four academic colleges and two professional schools. Within this structure, one certificate program and seventy-two degree programs, ranging from associ- ates to the doctorate, are offered.

This office is committed to providing faculty with oppor- tu- nities and activities for professional growth and develop- ment. Moreover, the office is responsible for monitoring and maintain- ing the integrity of the academic program.

GRAMBLING STATE UNIVERSITY FAMOUS ALUMS

NEWS, MEDIA AND JOURNALISM

Name	Notable
Charles M. Blow	New York Times columnist

EDUCATION

Name	Notable
Ivory V. Nelson	President of Lincoln University (Pa.)

ENTERTAINMENT

Name	Notable
Erykah Badu	Grammy Award-winning artist
Natalie Desselle-Reid	Actress best known for roles in B*A*P*S, Def Jam's How to Be a Player, and Disney's Cinderella
Judi Ann Mason	Television writer, producer and playwright

CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Name	Notable
Burl Cain	Master's degree in criminal justice, now warden of the Louisiana State Penitentiary

POLITICS

Name	Notable
Robert Bobb	Politician and public administrator; Emergency Financial Director for Detroit Public Schools; City manager for thirty years in the cities of Kalamazoo, Michigan; Santa Ana, California; and Richmond, Virginia
Israel "Bo" Curtis	Member of the Louisiana House of Representatives from 1992 to 2008; Member of the Rapides Parish School Board from 1976 to 1992
Bettye Davis	Member of the Alaska Senate and former member of the Alaska House of Representatives from the 21st district
Rick Gallot	Democratic member of the Louisiana State Senate for District 29 since 2012; Former state

Jeff Hall	representative for the 11th district Member of the Louisiana House of Representatives (District 26), accountant in Alexandria
E. Edward Jones	Educator, civil rights advocate, pastor, and former president of the National Baptist Convention of America, Inc., in Shreveport
Edward Joseph Price	Member of the Louisiana House of Representatives (District 58), businessman in Gonzales
Alicia Reece	Politician, member of the Ohio House of Representatives (33rd district)
Shannon F. Reeves	National Director of State and Local Development for the Republican National Committee
Gregory Tarver	Former member of the Shreveport City Council and the Louisiana State Senate
Ollie Tyler	Mayor of Shreveport; former interim state superintendent of education; former Caddo Parish school superintendent
Pinkie C. Wilkerson	Former member of the Louisiana House of Representatives, District 11

SPORTS

Name	Notable
Tommie Agee	Former professional baseball player
Garland Boyette	Former professional football player
Willie Brown	Former professional football player; Member of the Pro Football Hall of Fame
Jophery Brown	Former Major League Baseball player; Stuntman in film and television for over 30 years
Buck Buchanan	Former professional football player; Member of the College Football Hall of Fame and the Pro Football Hall of Fame
Patricia Cage-Bibbs	Women's basketball head coach at North Carolina A&T State University, Hampton University and

	Grambling State University; Has over 400 wins in her coaching career
Ronnie Coleman	Professional bodybuilder and eight-time Mr. Olympia winner
Brucie Eugene	Former professional football player
Clemente Gordon	Football player
Charles "Charlie Red" Hardnett	Former ABA basketball player
James "Shack" Harris	First black quarterback to start in the NFL
Jason Hatcher	Current NFL defensive end
Tyree Hollins	Professional football player
Charlie Joiner	Former professional football player and member of the Pro Football Hall of Fame
Johnny Jeter	Former Major League Baseball player
Trumaine Johnson	Former professional football player
Ernie Ladd	Former professional football player and Professional wrestler (nicknamed "The Big Cat")
Albert Lewis	Former professional football player
Guy Prather	Former professional football player
Willis Reed	Retired professional basketball player
Patrick Scott	Former professional football player
Goldie Sellers	Former professional football player
Winston Short	Former track athlete who competed for Trinidad in the Commonwealth and Pan American Games during the 1960s
Everson Walls	Former NFL All-Pro cornerback and Super Bowl champion (XXV)
Doug Williams	Former NFL quarterback; MVP of Super Bowl XXII
Gerald Williams	Former Major League Baseball player

FG Sequence	Grambling State	Opponents
Tennessee State	(24)	(39) 57
Southern Miss	47	(40) 50 (25) (34)
Houston	--	46 (22)
Prairie View A&M	(29)	(26)
Alabama A&M	(39),46,(27),(27)	30
Alcorn State	(45),(39)	(23)
Texas Southern	(29),(33)	--
Florida A&M	(35)	(44)
Arkansas Pine Bluff	-	(37),(35)
Bethune-Cookman	-	(32)
Southern	(39),(36),(27),(27),(25)	(49),(45)

	ALL PURPOSE							
	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
White, Greg	11	2	514	0	0	0	516	46.9
Russell, CJ	11	429	68	0	0	0	497	45.2
Brutton, Darque	11	316	26	0	32	0	374	34.0
Johnson, Donald	11	48	89	0	184	0	321	29.2
Walker, Elijah	7	305	0	0	0	0	305	43.6
Ross, Kobe	11	-3	248	0	0	0	245	22.3
Foley, Kash	9	23	33	0	133	0	189	21.0
Clark, Aldon	10	172	0	0	0	0	172	17.2
Clark, Darrell	8	5	138	8	0	0	151	18.9
Martin, Devani	11	0	0	38	88	0	126	11.5
Jones, Antonio	5	0	6	0	99	0	105	21.0
James, Dorrell	9	0	97	0	3	0	100	11.1
Mitchell, Quin	11	0	0	0	0	87	87	7.9
Cooper, Xavier	6	0	61	0	0	0	61	10.2
Forrest, Tony	5	0	36	0	0	0	36	7.2
Vaughn, Brenda	7	0	0	0	0	20	20	2.9
Mango, Freddie	5	0	0	20	0	0	20	4.0
Calloway, Wesl	5	1	17	0	0	0	18	3.6
Fields, Danqua	3	0	0	0	0	16	16	5.3
Stewart, Myron	11	0	0	11	0	0	11	1.0
Warming, Casey	4	0	11	0	0	0	11	2.8
Butler, Dayron	3	0	0	0	5	0	5	1.7
Fusilier, Tyce	4	4	0	0	0	0	4	1.0
Richardson, Ca	11	0	0	0	0	3	3	0.3
Elder, Keilon	5	2	0	0	0	0	2	0.4
Pierce, John-P	4	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	-0.2
TEAM	8	-10	0	0	0	0	-10	-1.2
Bodden, Noah	5	-51	18	0	0	0	-33	-6.6
Total	11	1242	1362	77	544	126	3351	304.6
Opponents	11	1917	2180	248	480	108	4933	448.5

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DEFENSIVE STATISTICS \\\

	Tackles					Sacks	Pass defense				Fumbles		blkd	
	gp-gs	ua	a	tot	ff/yds	no-yds	int-yds	BU	PD	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
2C Fontenot, Kena	11	40	10	50	---	---	1-0	3	4	---	1-0	---	---	---
44 Thomas, Blake	11	33	15	48	3.0-17	1.5-0	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	---
5B Mitchell, Quin	11	33	10	43	3.0-11	---	3-87	4	7	---	---	---	---	---
57 Matthews, Lewi	11	26	15	41	2.0-15	---	---	1	1	1	---	---	---	---
25 Martin, Devani	11	28	10	38	3.0-10	---	1-0	6	7	---	---	---	---	---
4B Reed, Joshua	8	21	17	38	2.5-7	---	---	---	---	1	1-0	---	---	---
9B Anderson, Sund	10	23	14	37	9.5-55	5.5-40	---	1	1	2	---	3	---	---
4B Powell, Bryan	11	24	11	35	11.0-36	2.5-11	---	---	---	6	1-0	---	---	---
24 Estes, Reyondo	10	24	5	29	---	---	---	10	10	---	---	---	---	---
2B Lodge, Xavier	9	20	9	29	---	---	---	1	1	---	1-0	---	---	---
99 Dotson, Martav	11	17	11	28	3.0-9	0.5-3	---	1	1	1	---	---	---	---
92 Green, Wesley	10	10	13	23	3.0-6	---	---	---	---	2	---	---	---	---
1B Stewart, Myron	11	16	6	22	---	---	1-0	2	3	---	1-70	---	1	---
95 Carter, Javon	11	11	8	19	5.0-20	2.0-7	---	1	1	5	---	1	---	---
91 Richardson, Ca	11	11	8	19	2.5-15	1.5-8	1-3	---	1	1	1-21	---	---	---
3B Britten, Marqu	10	15	2	17	1.0-3	---	---	1	1	---	---	---	---	---
97 Lewis, Lane	11	12	4	16	2.0-19	2.0-19	---	1	1	2	1-0	1	---	---
21 Fields, Ryan	11	13	2	15	---	---	---	3	3	---	---	---	1	---
8B Asiedu, Lawren	6	12	3	15	2.0-5	---	1-0	---	1	---	---	---	---	---
40 Vaughn, Brenda	7	6	3	9	2.0-7	1.0-4	1-20	---	1	1	1-0	---	---	---
96 Paul, Toddrick	6	4	5	9	3.0-9	1.0-6	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
5B Sheffield, Jal	8	5	4	9	1.0-4	1.0-4	---	1	1	1	---	---	---	---
9B Hardy, Jaden	10	5	3	8	2.0-9	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	---
32 Cleaves, Demar	6	5	3	8	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
43 Darling, Josh	5	6	1	7	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
50 Turner, Jaylon	4	5	1	6	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
33 Reed, Joshua	1	3	3	6	1.5-7	0.5-5	---	1	1	---	---	---	---	---
94 Foster, Koby	5	3	2	5	1.5-8	1.0-7	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
42 Mango, Freddie	5	2	3	5	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	---
6B Williams, Hurs	3	3	1	4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
4B Staten, Tanner	3	3	1	4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
30 Urban, Garrett	11	3	1	4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
8B Asiedu, Lawrenc	2	3	.	3	---	---	---	1	1	---	---	---	---	---
37 Lee, Donald	4	2	1	3	1.0-3	---	---	3	3	---	---	---	---	---
23 Elder, Keilon	5	1	2	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
8 Jones, Antonio	5	3	.	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
7B Fields, Danqua	3	1	2	3	---	---	1-16	---	1	---	---	---	---	---
36 Savala, Willia	2	2	.	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
55 Whitmer-Torres	5	1	1	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
1 Johnson, Donald	11	2	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
16 Calloway, Wesl	5	2	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
TM TEAM	8	2	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1
5 Foley, Kash	9	2	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	1-0	---	---	---
29 Walker, Terry	6	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	1-0	1	---	---
24 Milligan, Byron	1	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
13 Hall, Tyron	1	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
19 Perry, Jeff	5	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
93 Roberts, Syeme	1	.	1	1	0.5-1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
20 Fusilier, Tyce	4	1	.	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
2B Butler, Dayron	3	---	1	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
87 Warming, Casey	4	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
17 Clark, Darrell	8	1	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
4 Brutton, Darque	11	---	1	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
6 Russell, CJ	11	---	1	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
9 White, Greg	11	---	1	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
1B Boston, Anthon	4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	---
90 Cage, Zion	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	1	---	---	---	---	---
Total	11	470	215	685	65-296	28-108	10-126	42	52	26	10-91	6	3	1
Opponents,	11	385	229	614	57-315	23-144	11-108	53	64	38	5-49	7	1	1

PARTICIPATION \\\

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9B	Anderson, Sund	10/8	START	START	START	...	XXX	START	START	START	START	XXX	START
8B	Asiedu, Lawren	6/-	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	...
8B	Asiedu, Lawrenc	2/-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	XXX
68	Atkins, Egan	3/1	START	...	XXX	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...
63	Barnaa, Zach	1/-	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
26	Berry, August	1/-	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
0	Bodden, Noah	5/3	XXX	...	...	XXX	START	START	START	...	...	...	...
46	Boston, Anthon	4/-	...	XXX	XXX	...	...	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	...
3B	Britten, Marqu	10/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
4	Brutton, Darque	11/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
28	Butler, Dayron	3/-	XXX	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	...	...
90	Cage, Zion	2/-	XXX	...	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Calloway, Wesl	5/-	XXX	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	...
95	Carter, Javon	11/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
7	Cassie, Tyron	1/-	...	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
67	Chernak, Chris	9/9	START	START	START	...	...	START	START	START	START	START	START
2	Clark, Aldon	10/2	XXX	XXX	START	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	XXX	XXX
17	Clark, Darrell	8/6	START	START	...	XXX	START	START	START	START	...	...	XXX
32	Cleaves, Demar	6/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	XXX	...	...	XXX	...	XXX
88	Coleman, Claud	1/-	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
89	Cooper, Xavier	6/-	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	...	XXX	...	...
43	Darling, Josh	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	...	...	XXX	...	...	...
66	Davis, Cameron	1/-	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...
74	Davis, Kyle	8/8	START	START	...	...	...	START	START	START	START	START	START
99	Dotson, Martav	11/3	XXX	START	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	XXX
18	Druilhet, Tayl	1/-	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Elder, Keilon	5/1	XXX	...	...	XXX	...	START	...	...	...	XXX	XXX
24	Estes, Reyondo	10/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...
7B	Fields, Danqua	3/-	...	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Fields, Ryan	11/10	START	START	START	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
5	Foley, Kash	9/2	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	START	START	XXX
2C	Fontenot, Kena	11/9	START	START	START	XXX	START	XXX	START	START	START	START	START
8C	Forrest, Tony	5/-	...	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	...	...	XXX	...
94	Foster, Koby	5/-	...	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	...
20	Fusilier, Tyce	4/-	...	...	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	...	...	XXX	...	...
85	Gray, Isaiah	2/-	...	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
69	Green, Colin	1/-	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
92	Green, Wesley	10/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...
13	Hall, Tyron	1/-	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
98	Hardy, Jaden	10/6	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	START	START	START	START	XXX	START
35	Harris, Dylan	1/-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	...
65	Ighafose, Jord	5/3	XXX	...	...	...	...	START	...	START	XXX	START	...
80	James, Dorrell	9/9	START	START	...	...	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
1	Johnson, Donald	11/3	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	START	START
8	Jones, Antonio	5/-	...	...	...	...	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	...	...	XXX
4B	Reed, Joshua	8/7	...	...	...	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
37	Lee, Donald	4/-	...	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	...	XXX	...	...	...	...
97	Lewis, Lane	11/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
2B	Lodge, Xavier	9/-	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX
42	Mango, Freddie	5/-	...	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	...
25	Martin, Devani	11/10	START	START	START	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
57	Matthews, Lewi	11/1	XXX	XXX	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
24	Milligan, Byron	1/-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	XXX
5B	Mitchell, Quin	11/9	START	START	START	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	XXX	START
75	Myers, Stephen	1/-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	...
86	Patrick, Jaye	3/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
96	Paul, Toddrick	6/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	XXX	...	...	XXX	XXX	...
19	Perry, Jeff	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	XXX	...	XXX	...	...
11	Pierce, John-P	4/1	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	START	XXX
14	Pierre-Charles	1/-	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
48	Powell, Bryan	11/10	START	START	START	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
49	Quiett, Joshua	1/-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	...
10	Rash, Lyndon	2/-	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...
33	Reed, Joshua	1/1	START	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
91	Richardson, Ca	11/10	START	START	START	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
93	Roberts, Syeme	1/-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	...	...
81	Ross, Kobe	11/10	START	START	START	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
6	Russell, CJ	11/10	START	START	START	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
36	Savala, Willia	2/-	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	...
58	Sheffield, Jal	8/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...
4B	Staten, Tanner	2/1	...	START	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Steib, Tyler	1/-	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1B	Stewart, Myron	11/8	START	XXX	XXX	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
44	Thomas, Blake	11/10	START	START	START	XXX	START	START	START	START	START	START	START
77	Thomas, Tyler	7/7	START	...	...	...	...	START	START	START	START	START	START
50	Turner, Jaylon	4/-	...	...	XXX	XXX	...	...	XXX	XXX	...	...	...
30	Urban, Garrett	11/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
40	Vaughn, Brenda	7/-	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...
78	Wade-McLeod, K	3/3	...	...	...	...	...	...	START	...	START	...	START
3	Walker, Elijah	7/4	START	START	XXX	XXX	...	...	XXX	START	...	...	START
61	Walker, Errol	7/7	START	...	...	...	...	START	START	START	START	START	START
29	Walker, Terry	6/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	XXX	...	...	XXX	XXX	...
87	Warming, Casey	4/-	XXX	...	XXX	...	XXX	...	...	...	XXX	...	...
9	White, Greg	11/9	START	START	START	XXX	START	START	START	START	XXX	START	START
55	Whitmer-Torres	5/-	XXX	XXX	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	XXX	XXX	...
6B	Williams, Hurs	3/1	XXX	...	START	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Wilson, Gene	1/-	...	...	XXX	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

GRAMBLING STATE 16, TENNESSEE STATE 10

CANTON, Ohio | Elijah Walker earned offensive MVP honors and Kenan Fontenot was selected the defensive MVP as the Grambling State University football team held off Tennessee State, 16-10, in the Black College Hall of Fame Classic on Sunday afternoon at Tom Benson Memorial Stadium.

Grambling State answered with a 15-play, 79-yard drive, which took over seven minutes off the clock as Jaye Patrick caught an 18-yard touchdown pass from Elijah Walker, giving GSU a 7-3 advantage with 12:41 left in the second quarter.

TSU had an opportunity cut the margin right before halftime, but Zita's 57-yard field goal attempt was short as Grambling State entered the break with a 7-3 lead.

After a GSU punt to begin the second half, Tennessee State drove 35 yards in 13 plays as Devon Starling scored on a 3-yard rushing touchdown, giving TSU a 10-7 advantage with just over seven minutes remaining in the third.

GSU's defense and special teams provided a huge spark toward the end of the third. After a sack, Kaleb Mosely's punt was partial blocked and three plays later, Grambling State punched the ball into the endzone. Walker's 4-yard touchdown run gave GSU a 13-10 advantage as the extra point attempt failed with 2:22 left in the third.

GSU added one more final score with 9:48 remaining as Garrett Urban booted a 24-yard field goal as Grambling State extended the lead to 16-10.

Tennessee State had a huge opportunity on a 3rd and 23 play with 2:22 left as Deveon Bryant's pass was brokeup in the endzone by Kegan Fontenot, keeping TSU with 10 points.

- Grambling State finished with 12 first downs and held the ball for 26:52
- Elijah Walker, the offensive MVP, went 4-of-11 passing with one interception and one touchdown. He threw for 43 yards
- Walker led the ground game with 77 yards on 17 carries
- CJ Russell added 36 yards on 11 touches
- Jaye Patrick caught the lone Walker touchdown pass as he recorded one catch for 18 yards
- Grambling State registered 184 total yards
- Defensively, Kenan Fontenot, the defensive MVP, led the way eight eight tackles, including six solo stops, along with a key pass breakup
- Joshua Reed tallied six tackles and a half sack
- Tennessee State finished with 12 first downs and controlled the time of possession at 33:08
- Devon Sterling paced the ground game with 88 yards on 18 carries, along with the only TSU touchdown
- Deveon Bryant split time at quarterback with former GSU starter Jeremy Hickbottom
- Bryant went 4-of-12 passing for 22 yards
- Hickbottom was 8-of-10 for 65 yards
- Vincent Perry caught nine passes for 44 yards
- Joshua Bryant led the defense with nine tackles, including eight solo stops

- Grambling State earned its first victory since the middle of November of 2019, snapping a five game-losing streak
- GSU also broke a six-game losing streak in neutral site games
- GSU head coach Broderick Fobbs earned his second opening day victory
- Grambling State extends its series win streak over Tennessee State to six games
- The two teams met for the first time since 2002
- GSU now leads the series 23-18-1



SCORING SUMMARY	1	2	3	4	F
TENNESSEE STATE	3	0	7	0	-- 10
GRAMBLING STATE	0	7	6	3	-- 16

1st	05:00	TEN	Zita, Antonio 39 yd field goal
2nd	12:41	GRAM	Patrick, Jaye 18 yd pass from Walker, Elijah (Urban, Garrett kick)
3rd	07:03	TEN	Starling, Devon 3 yd run (Zita, Antonio kick)
3rd	02:22	GRAM	Walker, Elijah 4 yd run (kick failed)
4th	09:48	GRAM	Urban, Garrett 24 yd field goal

TEAM STATS	TSU	GRAM
FIRST DOWNS	12	12
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	30-112	44-141
PASSING YDS (NET)	118	43
Passes Att-Comp-Int.	24-13-0	11-4-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	54-230	55-184
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-83	0-4
Kickoff Returns-Yards	2-35	3-27
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	8-37.1	6-41.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	18-150	4-35
Possession Time	33:08	26:52
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 13	6 of 13
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	3-3
Sacks By: Number-Yards	1-0	2-0

RUSHING: Tennessee St.-Starling, Devon 18-88; Bryant, Deveon 8-24; Hickbottom, Gere 1-8; Rouse, Jalen 2-1; Pope, Tucker 1-minus 9. Grambling State-Walker, Elijah 17-77; Russell, CJ 11-36; Brutton, Darque 10-26; Johnson, Donald 1-12; Elder, Keilon 3-2; Ross, Kobe 1-minus 4; TEAM 1-minus 8.

PASSING: Tennessee St.-Bryant, Deveon 4-12-0-22; Hickbottom, Gere 8-10-0-65; Pope, Tucker 1-2-0-31. Grambling State-Walker, Elijah 4-11-1-43.

RECEIVING: Tennessee St.-Perry,Vincent 4-44; Johnson,Dayron 3-37; Wyche,Cam 3-12; Starling,Devon 2-19; Rahmaan,Rodell 1-6. Grambling State-Patrick,Jaye 1-18; White,Greg 1-17; Russell,CJ 1-6; Ross,Kobe 1-2.

INTERCEPTIONS: Tennessee St.-McDonald, Curt 1-0. Grambling State-None.

FUMBLES: Tennessee St.-None. Grambling State-None.

- Grambling State and Southern Miss met for the first time in the series
- The Tigers fell to 0-2 during the Fobbs era against members of Conference USA
- The Tigers hadn't been shutout in 73 straight games
- Grambling State was last shutout in 2014 when Houston blanked the Tigers, 47-0
- GSU fell to 6-21 under Fobbs when trailing at halftime
- Grambling State kicker Garrett Urban attempted a 47-yard field goal in the first half - had he converted the kick, it would have been his career long
- Fobbs was an assistant coach (wide receivers) at Southern Miss in 2012
- GSU fell to 14-9 during the Fobbs era in night games
- The Tigers were seeking their first back-to-back season-opening victories since the 2001 season



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>>>>>>>> 2021 GAME-BY-GAME RECAPS

GAME 4 \\\

PRAIRIE VIEW A&M 24, GRAMBLING STATE 10

COTTON BOWL STADIUM • DALLAS, TEXAS
SEPTEMBER 25, 2021 • ATTENDANCE: 26,198

DALLAS, TEXAS | The Grambling State University football team fell behind early and tried to erase a 10-point deficit, but it wasn't enough as Prairie View A&M won its fourth straight over the Tigers, 24-10, in the annual State Fair Classic on Saturday afternoon at the Cotton Bowl Stadium.

Prairie View A&M (3-1) opened the game and marched 75 yards in 14 plays as Jawon Pass tossed a 13-yard touchdown pass to Donovan White, giving the Panthers an early 7-0 with 9:06 remaining.

The Panthers extended the margin to 10-0 in the second quarter as Grambling State was forced to play from behind.

The Tigers (1-3) slowly started building some momentum toward the end of the first half as Elijah Walker connected with Greg White for a spectacular diving catch down the right sideline to set up shop deep in Panther territory.

Two plays later, Walker's pass to White in the end zone was incomplete, but the Tigers got took advantage of a pass interference penalty as CJ Russell scored on a 2-yard touchdown run with 20 seconds remaining in the opening half.

Grambling State got the ball to begin the second half, but went three-and-out.

On the first offensive play of the third quarter for the Panthers, PVAMU drew up a screen play to push the ball deep into GSU territory. Jaden Stewart gave Prairie View A&M a 17-7 advantage as he went straight up the middle for a 17-yard touchdown with 12:16 left in the quarter.

Noah Bodden came off the bench to replace Elijah Walker, but the Tigers were unable to move the football and were forced to punt.

However, the Tigers forced a turnover at the PVAMU 12. After three unsuccessful plays, Garrett Urban booted a 29-yard field goal to cut the deficit to 17-10 with 1:14 left in the third.

The Panthers continued to push the margin as Jailon Howard caught a 36-yard touchdown pass down the left sideline from Pass, giving Prairie View A&M a 24-10 advantage with just under 11 minutes remaining.

GAME NOTES

- Grambling State's touchdown late in the second quarter snapped a streak of nine straight quarters without a point
- GSU opened the season with a win over Tennessee State, but have now dropped three straight
- The Tigers have played four quarterbacks this season (Elijah Walker, Aldon Clark, John-Paul Pierce and Noah Bodden)
- Elijah Walker got the start against Prairie View A&M, but Noah Bodden came off the bench late in the third quarter
- The Tigers fell to 9-7 during the Fobbs era in the state of Texas
- Grambling State concluded the opening month 1-3 and is now 14-15 in games played in September
- The Tigers are 17-20 when the opponent scores first
- GSU's defense surrendered an opening-game scoring drive for the first time this season
- Prairie View A&M scored on its opening drive in the first and second half
- Fobbs fell to 4-4 against Prairie View A&M, with all the losses coming in the past four meetings
- Grambling State fell to 11-2 in games decided by 17 points and is 2-24 when trailing after three quarters



BOX SCORE

SCORING SUMMARY	1	2	3	4		F
GRAMBLING STATE	0	7	3	0	--	10
PRAIRIE VIEW A&M	7	3	7	7	--	24

1st	09:06	PVAMU	White,Donovan 16 yd pass from Pass,Jawon (Reyes,Luis kick)
2nd	11:45	PVAMU	Reyes,Luis 26 yd field goal
2nd	00:25	GRAM	Russell, CJ 3 yd run (Urban, Garrett kick)
3rd	12:16	PVAMU	Stewart,Jaden 18 yd run (Reyes,Luis kick)
3rd	01:14	GRAM	Urban, Garrett 29 yd field goal
4th	10:59	PVAMU	Howard,Jailon 36 yd pass from Pass,Jawon (Reyes,Luis kick)

STATISTICS

TEAM STATS	GRAM	PVAMU
FIRST DOWNS	12	21
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	22-99	52-208
PASSING YDS (NET)	135	201
Passes Att-Comp-Int.	34-14-1	22-13-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	56-234	74-409
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	3-20	1-11
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-59	0-0
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	1-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	7-39.1	6-30.3
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	3-1
Penalties-Yards	5-45	5-46
Possession Time	21:26	38:34
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 12	6 of 16
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 2	2 of 4
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	3-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-2	1-6

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING: Grambling State-Brutton, Darque 11-59; Johnson, Donald 1-19; Walker, Elijah 5-11; Russell, CJ 4-10; Bodden, Noah 1-0. Prairie View-Stewart,Jaden 10-57; Antoine,Ahmad 11-56; Pass,Jawon 13-35; Brooks,Lyndemia 9-35; Mosley,Kristian 9-25.

PASSING: Grambling State-Walker, Elijah 11-23-1-11; Bodden, Noah 3-11-0-24. Prairie View-Pass,Jawon 13-22-0-201.

RECEIVING: Grambling State- Clark, Darrell 3-35; Brutton, Darque 3-6; White, Greg 2-46; Cooper, Zavier 2-13; Ross, Kobe 1-14; Johnson, Donald 1-12; Russell, CJ 1-5; Foley, Kash 1-4. Prairie View-Howard,Jailon 3-58; White,Donovan 2-33; Washington,Colb 2-25; Fairs,Evan 2-12; Brooks,Lyndemia 1-46; Holden,Ty 1-11; Johnson,Xavier 1-8; Mullins,Antonio 1-8.

INTERCEPTIONS: Grambling State-None. Prairie View-Jackson,Logan 1-0.

FUMBLES: Grambling State-Brutton, Darque 1-1. Prairie View-Pass,Jawon 2-0; Brooks,Lyndemia 1-1.

>>>>>>>> 2021 GAME-BY-GAME RECAPS

GAME 6 |||||

ALCORN STATE 24, GRAMBLING STATE 20

JACK SPINKS STADIUM • LORMAN, MISSISSIPPI
OCTOBER 9, 2021 • ATTENDANCE: 14,500

LORMAN, Miss. | The Grambling State University football team nearly rallied from a 15-point first-half deficit, but the Tigers came up just short in falling to Alcorn State, 24-20, in a Southwestern Athletic Conference (SWAC) game on Saturday afternoon at Jack Spinks Stadium.

Alcorn State (3-2 overall, 2-0 SWAC) took the opening kickoff and went 75 yards in just four plays as Felix Harper hit LeCharles Pringle in stride for a 45-yard touchdown strike, giving the Braves the 7-0 lead with 13:26 remaining in the first quarter.

Grambling State (2-4, 1-2) closed the gap on its first offensive series as the Tigers marched 47 yards in seven plays as Garrett Urban booted a season-long and career-long 45-yard field goal to trim the deficit to 7-3 with 10:57 left in the quarter.

The Braves took advantage of a blocked punt and excellent field position as Harper rushed 14 yards up the middle and into the endzone, extending Alcorn State's lead to 14-3 with 6:43 remaining in the opening frame.

Alcorn State's defense forced a Tiger punt and the Braves' offense went to work. ASU went 72 yards in seven plays, taking 2:49 off the clock. Pringle caught his second touchdown pass, this time a 13-yard strike from Harper, as the Braves increased the advantage to 21-3 with 13:48 left in the first half.

Grambling State took advantage of a personal foul penalty and went 35 yards in five plays as Urban booted his second field goal of the day - a 39-yarder - as the Tigers closed the gap to 21-6 with 5:17 remaining.

Alcorn State continued to add to the lead with 4:55 left in the third as Noah Kiani kicked a 23-yard field, which gave the Braves a 24-6 lead.

Grambling State answered and closed the gap on its next drive as the Tigers went 70 yards in six plays as Noah Bodden connected with Darryl Clark for a 20-yard touchdown, cutting the deficit to 24-13 with 1:24 remaining in the third.

The Tigers continued to rally and turned an Alcorn State turnover into seven points on their next drive.

Aldon Clark's 20-yard touchdown pass to right corner was caught by Greg White as Grambling State trimmed the margin to 24-20 with 14:18 left.

The Tigers had opportunities over the final 10 minutes, but could not get over the hump as turnovers plagued Grambling State in the rally attempt.

CHECKING THE BOX SCORE

- Grambling State finished with 14 first downs and 258 total yards
- Noah Bodden went 10-for-27 passing for 105 yards, with one touchdown and one interception
- Aldon Clark went 5-for-5 passing for 67 yards and one score
- Aldon Clark led the ground game with 59 yards on 10 carries
- Greg White finished with four receptions for 67 yards and one touchdown
- Garrett Urban went 2-for-2 on field goals and 2-for-2 in extra points
- Garrett Urban punted the ball five times for 213 yards, including one punt inside the 20
- Joshua Reed paced the defensive with nine total tackles
- Alcorn State finished with 18 first downs and 357 total yards
- Felix Harper went 15-of-23 passing for 150 yards, with a pair of touchdowns and one interception
- Nike Duffey carried the ball 20 times for 138 yards
- LeCharles Pringle added four catches for 67 yards and two scores
- Nichel Herron led the defense with six total tackles

GAME NOTES

- Noah Bodden made his second career start at quarterback
- Grambling State's defense has surrendered game-opening scoring drives in its last three games (Prairie View A&M, Alabama A&M, Alcorn State)
- Noah Bodden started at quarterback, but Aldon Clark also saw action in the second half
- The Tiger loss was just the third time Alcorn State had picked up a win over a Broderick Fobbs team and it was just the second time in the regular season the Braves had defeated Grambling State
- The Tigers have dropped back-to-back games at Alcorn State, which dates back to the 2018 season
- Grambling State's last win at Alcorn State came in 2015 (35-34)
- The Tigers swept last week's SWAC Weekly Honors (Noah Bodden - offensive player/newcomer of the week; Cameron Richardson - defensive player of the week; Garrett Urban - specialist of the week)
- Grambling State fell to 14-17 when trailing after one quarter and 22-3 in games played in October



BOX SCORE

SCORING SUMMARY	1	2	3	4	F	
GRAMBLING STATE	3	3	7	7	--	20
ALCORN STATE	14	7	3	0	--	24

1st	13:26	ALCORN	L.Pringle 45 yd pass from F.Harper (N.Kiani kick)
1st	10:57	GRAM	Urban, Garrett 45 yd field goal
1st	06:43	ALCORN	F.Harper 14 yd run (N.Kiani kick)
2nd	13:48	ALCORN	L.Pringle 13 yd pass from F.Harper (N.Kiani kick)
2nd	05:17	GRAM	Urban, Garrett 39 yd field goal
3rd	04:55	ALCORN	N.Kiani 23 yd field goal
3rd	01:24	GRAM	Clark, Darrell 20 yd pass from Bodden, Noah (Urban, Garrett kick)
4th	14:18	GRAM	White, Greg 20 yd pass from Clark, Aldon (Urban, Garrett kick)

STATISTICS

TEAM STATS	GRAM	ALCORN
FIRST DOWNS	14	18
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	25-86	45-207
PASSING YDS (NET)	172	150
Passes Att-Comp-Int.	32-15-1	23-15-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	7-258	68-357
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-8	2-17
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-55	0-0
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	1-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-35.5	5-39.8
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	1-1
Penalties-Yards	6-64	9-80
Possession Time	26:22	33:38
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 14	2 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 2	2 of 4
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	3-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	2-16	1-17

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING: Grambling State-Clark, Aldon 10-59; Russell, CJ 10-28; Brutton, Darque 4-16; Bodden, Noah 1-minus 17. Alcorn State-N.Duffey 20-138; S.Anderson 9-35; F.Harper 9-23; J.Leatherwood 4-17; TEAM 3-minus 6.

PASSING: Grambling State-Bodden, Noah 10-27-1-105; Clark, Aldon 5-5-0-67. Alcorn State-F.Harper 15-23-1-150.

RECEIVING: Grambling State-White, Greg 4-67; Ross, Kobe 4-38; Clark, Darrell 3-37; James, Dorrell 2-24; Johnson, Donald 2-6. Alcorn State-L.Pringle 4-67; C.J.Bolar 4-38; J.Anthony 3-26; T.Giffin 1-11; S.Anderson 1-10; N.Duffey 1-4; W.Morris 1-minus 6.

INTERCEPTIONS: Grambling State- Stewart, Myron 1-0. Alcorn State-J.Taylor 1-0.

FUMBLES: Grambling State-Clark, Aldon 1-1. Alcorn State-J.Leatherwood 1-1.

>>>>>>>>> 2021 GAME-BY-GAME RECAPS

GAME 8 |||||

FLORIDA A&M 26, GRAMBLING STATE 3

BRAGG MEMORIAL STADIUM • TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA
OCTOBER 30, 2021 • ATTENDANCE: 31,887

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. | The Grambling State University football team fell behind early and could not recover as Florida A&M celebrated Homecoming and Senior Day with a 26-3 victory over the Tigers in a Southwestern Athletic Conference (SWAC) on Saturday at Bragg Memorial Stadium.

Florida A&M (6-2 overall, 4-1 SWAC) got the ball to opening the game and marched 82 yards in 10 plays as Rasean McKay found a streaking Jah'Marae Sheread for 15 yards for the score as the Rattlers took a quick 7-0 lead with 10:27 remaining in the opening quarter.

After a Grambling State punt, FAMU, which went 3-for-3 on third downs on the drive, nearly went the length of the field, as the Rattlers marched 90 yards in 16 plays as McKay tossed a 6-yard touchdown pass in the corner of the endzone to Jermaine Hawkins to extend the advantage to 14-0 with 14:55 left in the second quarter.

Florida A&M continued to put pressure on the GSU defense as the Rattlers started their drive on the 39 and capitalized on an unsportsmanlike penalty. FAMU went 61 yards in 12 plays as Jaylen McCloud scored on a 1-yard touchdown run to push the margin to 21-0 with 4:55 remaining in the first half.

Grambling State (3-5, 2-3) cut the deficit to 21-3 after a 35-yard field goal by Garrett Urban with 6:14 remaining in the third quarter.

The Rattlers added a safety when Tigers quarterback Elijah Walker was sacked in the endzone by Savion Williams with 1:40 left in the third.

Florida A&M got a 44-yard field goal by Jose Romo-Martinez with 10:55 remaining to extend the advantage to 26-3.

CHECKING THE BOX SCORE

- Grambling State finished with 10 first downs and 187 total yards of offense
- Elijah Walker went 6-for-13 for 63 yards
- Aldon Clark rushed the ball two times for 58 yards, including a 55-yard burst late in the fourth quarter
- Greg White caught a pair of passes for 23 yards
- Defensively, Blake Thomas, Kenan Fontenot and Quincy Mitchell each registered six total tackles
- Garrett Urban booted a 35-yard field goal in the third quarter and is 4-for-4 from between 30-39 yards this season
- The Tigers recorded six penalties for 61 yards
- Florida A&M finished with 24 first downs and 356 total yards of offense
- Rasean McKay recovered from one his worst outings last week at Mississippi Valley State and went 20-of-34 passing for 204 yards, with two touchdowns and one interception
- Terrell Jennings rushed the ball 12 times for 54 yards
- Bishop Bonnett, who came in as one of the best running backs in the conference, was held in check with nine touches for 26 yards
- Xavier Smith caught seven passes for 72 yards
- Markquese Bell registered six total tackles
- Florida A&M recorded 10 penalties for 84 yards
- Both teams missed an opportunity in the red zone as GSU went 1-for-2, while FAMU was 3-for-4

GAME NOTES

- Grambling State started Elijah Walker at quarterback and Aldon Clark saw action in the fourth quarter
- The Tigers gave up an open drive to begin the game for the fourth time in the last five games
- Florida A&M received a delay of game penalty to begin the game and another one at halftime
- FAMU celebrated Homecoming and Senior Day
- The game was halted for approximately 15 minutes in the third quarter as an altercation broke out between the two teams
- The Rattlers closed the gap in the series, 10-6, with the win against the Tigers
- The announced attendance of 31,887 was a sellout at Bragg Campbell Memorial Stadium
- Grambling State head coach Broderick Fobbs dropped his first game against FAMU head coach Willie Simmons as Fobbs was previously 4-0 against Simmons
- FAMU beat Grambling State for the first time ever inside Bragg Memorial Stadium
- The Tigers fell to 40-20 in games played before 6 p.m. and 23-4 in games played in October
- Grambling State is now 38-21 in games played on artificial turf
- The Tigers are 18-22 when the opponent scores first and 2-26 when trailing at break



BOX SCORE

SCORING SUMMARY	1	2	3	4	F
GRAMBLING STATE	0	0	0	0	-- 3
FLORIDA A&M	7	14	2	3	-- 26
1st	10:27	FAMU	J. Sheread 15 yd pass from Rasean McKay (J Romo-Martinez kick)		
2nd	14:55	FAMU	J. Hawkins 6 yd pass from Rasean McKay (J Romo-Martinez kick)		
2nd	04:55	FAMU	Jaylen McCloud 1 yd run (J Romo-Martinez kick)		
3rd	06:14	GRAM	Urban, Garrett 35 yd field goal		
3rd	01:40	FAMU	Savion Williams safety		
4th	10:55	FAMU	J Romo-Martinez 44 yd field goal		

STATISTICS

TEAM STATS	GRAM	FAMU
FIRST DOWNS	10	24
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	28-121	39-146
PASSING YDS (NET)	66	210
Passes Att-Comp-Int.	20-7-0	35-21-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	48-187	74-356
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1--5	2-34
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-67	3-32
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	6-37.8	3-43.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	6-61	10-84
Possession Time	22:59	37:01
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 11	9 of 15
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 1	0 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-2	3-4
Sacks By: Number-Yards	0-0	3-18

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING: Grambling State-Clark, Aldon 2-58; Russell, CJ 6-22; Walker, Elijah 9-13; Johnson, Donald 2-13; White, Greg 3-9; Brutton, Darque 5-5; Calloway, Wesl 1-1. Florida A&M-T. Jennings 12-54; Jaylen McCloud 10-48; Bishop Bonnett 9-26; J. Sheread 2-13; Chris Sanders 2-7; J Romo-Martinez 1-3; E. Tillman III 2-minus 1; Xavier Smith 1-minus 4.

PASSING: Grambling State-Walker, Elijah 6-13-0-63; Clark, Aldon 1-7-0-3. Florida A&M-Rasean McKay 20-34-1-204; J. Muratovic 1-1-0-6.

RECEIVING: Grambling State-White, Greg 2-23; Johnson, Donald 2-11; Ross, Kobe 1-21; Russell, CJ 1-8; Foley, Kash 1-3. Florida A&M-Xavier Smith 7-72; Chad Hunter 4-53; J. Sheread 4-51; Bishop Bonnett 1-13; Kamari Young 1-6; Chris Sanders 1-6; J. Hawkins 1-6; David Manigo 1-4; T. Jennings 1-minus 1.

INTERCEPTIONS: Grambling State- Fontenot, Kena 1-0. Florida A&M-None.

FUMBLES: Grambling State-None. Florida A&M-None.

>>>>>>>> 2021 GAME-BY-GAME RECAPS

GAME 10 \\\

BETHUNE-COOKMAN 31, GRAMBLING STATE 14

EDDIE G. ROBINSON MEMORIAL STADIUM • GRAMBLING, LOUISIANA
NOVEMBER 13, 2021 • ATTENDANCE: 5,017

GRAMBLING, La. | The Grambling State University football wrapped up its home campaign with a 31-14 loss to Bethune-Cookman in a Southwestern Athletic Conference (SWAC) game on Saturday at Eddie G. Robinson Memorial Stadium.

Bethune-Cookman (2-8 overall, 2-5 SWAC) capitalized on a GSU turnover and went 53 yards in four plays as Jimmie Robinson III scored on a 3-yard run, giving the Wildcats a 7-0 lead with 4:34 left in the opening quarter.

BCU added to the lead with 17 seconds left in the first quarter as Robinson scored the second of his three touchdowns on the day, a 2-yard run, as the Wildcats extended the margin to 14-0.

The Wildcats got a 32-yard field goal by Dylan Moghaddam with 9:44 remaining in the second quarter, capping a 13-play, 61-yard drive as BCU pushed the lead to 17-0.

Grambling State (3-7, 2-5) got on the board on its next offensive possession as the Tigers marched 72 yards in 10 plays, with John-Paul Pierce connected with Dorrell James for a 14-yard touchdown, trimming the deficit to 17-7 with 5:01 remaining in the first half.

The Wildcats answered right before the half as Robinson added a 2-yard touchdown scamper to extend the advantage to 24-7.

The Tigers took advantage of a BCU turnover, going 40 yards in five plays as Tony Forrest Jr. caught a 17-yard touchdown pass from Pierce, closing the gap to 24-14 with 11:17 remaining.

However, the Wildcats put the game away with 5:46 left as Laderrien Wilson scored on a 30-yard touchdown, giving Bethune-Cookman the 31-14 lead.

CHECKING THE BOX SCORE

- Grambling State finished with 13 first downs and 186 total yards of offense
- John-Paul Pierce went 12 of 28 passing for 102 yards, with a pair of touchdowns and two interceptions
- CJ Russell led the ground game with 16 carries for 61 yards
- CJ Russell caught three passes out the backfield for a team-high 30 yards
- Bryan Powell registered a career-high 10 tackles, including six solo stops and one sack to lead the GSU defense
- Bethune-Cookman finished with 17 first downs and 288 total yards of offense
- Davin Black threw for 111 yards on 8 of 21 passing
- Jimmie Robinson III tallied 98 yards on 15 touches, with three touchdowns
- Kemari Averett recorded 34 yards on three receptions
- Untareo Johnson led the Wildcat defense with nine total tackles, including seven solo stops

GAME NOTES

- John-Paul Pierce made his first collegiate start at quarterback
- The Tigers have now dropped three straight games, which matches the their longest streak of the season
- Grambling State finishes its home campaign at 2-1 (wins over Alabama A&M and Texas Southern)
- Bethune-Cookman has now won three straight over the Tigers, including two consecutive games at Eddie G. Robinson Memorial Stadium
- The Tiger defense continued its streak of forcing a turnover, which now moved to nine straight games
- Broderick Fobbs is 0-3 all-time against Bethune-Cookman (losses in 2014, 2015, 2021)
- Grambling State fell to 26-11 in games played in Louisiana
- The Tigers and Wildcats kicked off at 11 a.m., the earliest kick time for a GSU game under Broderick Fobbs
- Grambling State honored nine seniors prior to the start of Saturday's game



BOX SCORE

SCORING SUMMARY	1	2	3	4	F
BETHUNE-COOKMAN	14	10	0	7	-- 31
GRAMBLING STATE	0	7	0	7	-- 14

1st	04:34	BCU	Robinson III, Jimmie 3 yd run (Moghaddam, Dylan kick)
1st	00:17	BCU	Robinson III, Jimmie 2 yd run (Moghaddam, Dylan kick)
2nd	09:44	BCU	Moghaddam, Dylan 32 yd field goal
2nd	05:01	GRAM	James, Dorrell 14 yd pass from Pierce, John-P (Urban, Garrett kick)
2nd	00:17	BCU	Robinson III, Jimmie 2 yd run (Moghaddam, Dylan kick)
4th	11:17	GRAM	Forrest, Tony 17 yd pass from Pierce, John-P (Urban, Garrett kick)
4th	05:46	BCU	Wilson, Laderrien 30 yd run (Moghaddam, Dylan kick)

STATISTICS

TEAM STATS	BCU	GRAM
FIRST DOWNS	17	13
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	6-177	33-84
PASSING YDS (NET)	111	102
Passes Att-Comp-Int.	21-8-0	28-12-2
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	67-288	61-186
Fumble Returns-Yards	1-5	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-11	2-7
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-82	5-118
Interception Returns-Yards	2-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	9-41.2	9-35.6
Fumbles-Lost	5-2	3-2
Penalties-Yards	7-65	3-46
Possession Time	34:09	25:51
Third-Down Conversions	6 of 15	3 of 14
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	2 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-4	2-2
Sacks By: Number-Yards	4-24	3-17

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING: Bethune-Cookman-Robinson III, Jimmie 15-98; Byrd, QueShaun 14-59; Wilson, Laderrien 3-38; Thompson, Aaron 5-9; TEAM 2-minus 4; Black, Devin 7-minus 23. Grambling State-Russell, CJ 16-61; Brutton, Darque 8-22; Clark, Aldon 1-1; Pierce, John-P 8-0.

PASSING: Bethune-Cookman-Black, Devin 8-21-0-111. Grambling State-Pierce, John-P 12-28-2-102.

RECEIVING: Bethune-Cookman-Averett, Kemari 3-34; Lee, Dylaun 2-11; Overton, Cameron 1-38; Powell, Darryl 1-33; Robinson III, Jimmie 1-minus 5. Grambling State-Russell, CJ 3-30; Ross, Kobe 2-15; White, Greg 2-7; Brutton, Darque 2-2; Forrest, Tony 1-17; Calloway, Wesl 1-17; James, Dorrell 1-14.

INTERCEPTIONS: Bethune-Cookman-Hill-Robinson, Omari 1-0; Sutherland, Caleb 1-0. Grambling State-None.

FUMBLES: Bethune-Cookman-Thompson, Aaron 1-1; Robinson III, Jimmie 1-0; Black, Devin 1-0; Bell, Kameron 1-0; Deas, Darnell 1-1. Grambling State- Pierce, John-P 2-1; Russell, CJ 1-1.

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>>>>>>>> YEARLY RESULTS

YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS \\\

Year	W-L-T	Coach
1941	3-5-0	Eddie Robinson
1942	8-0-0	Eddie Robinson
1943	No Team-World War II	
1944	No Team-World War II	
1945	10-2-0	Eddie Robinson
1946	5-5-0	Eddie Robinson
1947	10-2-0	Eddie Robinson
1948	8-2-0	Eddie Robinson
1949	7-3-2	Eddie Robinson

1950

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 4-3-1

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Tillotson	W	27	7
Mississippi Industrial	W	19	6
Texas Southern	W	26	6
Wiley College	T	14	14
Fort Valley State	W	54	0
Tennessee State	L	7	55
Prairie View A&M	L	7	40
Bishop	L	0	35

1951

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 3-5-1

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Maryland State	L	6	7
Xavier (La.)	L	7	25
Texas Southern	T	7	7
Wiley College	W	18	13
Mississippi Industrial	W	19	13
Prairie View A&M	L	12	34
Tennessee State	L	13	30
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	L	13	25
Bishop	W	52	0

1952

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 7-3-1

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Paul Quinn	W	13	0
Maryland State	L	0	34
Kentucky State	W	14	13
Texas Southern	L	14	46
Wiley College	W	18	14
Leland	W	34	7
Mississippi Industrial	W	27	0
Jackson State	T	13	13
Prairie View A&M	L	13	25
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	W	35	19
Alcorn State	W	27	13

1953

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 7-3

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Paul Quinn	W	27	0
Morris Brown	W	40	0
Kentucky State	W	13	0
Texas Southern	L	7	22
Bishop	L	34	67
Wiley College	W	24	0
Leland	W	60	0
Prairie View A&M	L	0	32
Jackson State	W	21	13
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	W	20	16

1954

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 4-3-2

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Paul Quinn	T	0	0
Alcorn State	L	6	26
Texas Southern	T	19	19
Bishop	W	48	7
Wiley College	W	35	12
Jackson State	W	34	13

Bethune-Cookman	L	14	25
Prairie View A&M	L	19	26
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	W	21	13

1955

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 10-0

Midwest Conference Champions

Black College Football National Champions

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Paul Quinn	W	60	7
Alcorn State	W	13	6
Tennessee State	W	12	0
Bishop	W	85	0
Wiley College	W	20	0
Jackson State	W	48	7
Bethune-Cookman	W	26	7
Prairie View A&M	W	26	7
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	W	38	6
Florida A&M	W	28	21

1956

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 8-1

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Paul Quinn	W	43	6
Alcorn State	W	33	12
Tennessee State	L	0	33
Wiley College	W	51	20
Morris Brown	W	34	12
Jackson State	W	26	7
Bethune-Cookman	W	27	7
Prairie View A&M	W	46	0
Bluefield	W	52	0

1957

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 5-3

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	W	53	0
Paul Quinn	W	60	0
Wiley College	L	12	44
Prairie View A&M	L	14	25
Jackson State	L	30	39
Bethune-Cookman	W	20	12
Texas Southern	W	14	12
Miss. Valley State	W	19	12

1958

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 6-3

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	W	48	6
Paul Quinn	W	72	8
Tennessee State	W	7	6
Wiley College	W	19	15
Prairie View A&M	L	6	44
Jackson State	W	21	18
Texas Southern	L	7	21
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	L	6	7
Miss. Valley State	W	55	7

1959

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 5-5/2-5 SWAC

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Bishop	W	48	6
Texas College	W	19	10
Southern	L	6	12
Tennessee State	L	21	26
Wiley College	W	42	20
Prairie View A&M	L	13	35
Jackson State	W	18	14
Texas Southern	L	14	15
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	L	6	7
Miss. Valley State	W	93	0

1960

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 9-1/6-1 SWAC

SWAC Co-Champions

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Bishop	W	61	6
Texas College	W	66	0
Southern	L	6	16
Tennessee State	W	20	6
Miss. Valley State	W	65	7
Prairie View A&M	W	26	0
Jackson State	W	32	12
Texas Southern	W	51	0
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	W	33	12
Wiley College	W	57	19

1961

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 7-2/5-2 SWAC

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Texas College	W	59	0
Southern	L	9	20
Tennessee State	W	25	8
Miss. Valley State	W	69	0
Prairie View A&M	W	34	14
Jackson State	L	13	14
Texas Southern	W	23	19
Wiley College	W	71	28
Alcorn State	W	49	0

1962

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 6-2-2/3-3-2 SWAC

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Benedict	W	55	0
Southern	W	13	3
Tennessee State	W	26	6
Miss. Valley State	W	41	6
Prairie View A&M	W	23	15
Jackson State	L	31	45
Texas Southern	L	25	42
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	T	20	20
Wiley	T	0	0
Alcorn State	W	46	7

1963

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 5-3-1/3-3-1 SWAC

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	W	40	23
Southern	L	21	22
Tennessee State	W	26	14
Miss. Valley State	W	39	6
Prairie View A&M	L	7	28
Jackson State	W	62	16
Texas Southern	L	13	27
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	T	7	7
Wiley	W	34	8

1964

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 9-2/6-1 SWAC

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	W	32	14
Southern	W	20	17
Prairie View A&M	L	14	22
Tennessee State	W	20	18
Miss. Valley State	W	20	7
Jackson State	W	47	26
Texas Southern	W	25	8
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	W	39	0
Wiley	W	40	21
Bishop	W	42	6
Florida A&M	L	15	42

1965

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 8-3/6-1 SWAC

SWAC Champions

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	W	26	13
Prairie View A&M	W	44	7
Tennessee State	L	7	40
Miss. Valley State	W	34	20
Jackson State	W	51	20
Texas Southern	L	6	26
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	W	21	9
Wiley	W	72	14
Southern	W	34	14
Lincoln University	W	54	18
North Dakota State	L	7	20

1966

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 6-2-1/4-2-1 SWAC

SWAC Co-Champions

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	W	14	13
Prairie View A&M	T	10	10
Tennessee State	L	23	31
Miss. Valley State	W	55	34
Jackson State	W	27	18
Texas Southern	W	19	17
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	W	61	21
Wiley	W	45	14
Southern	L	13	41

1967

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 9-1/6-1 SWAC

SWAC Co-Champions

Black College Football National Champions

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	W	13	7
Prairie View A&M	W	13	10
Tennessee State	W	26	24
Miss. Valley State	W	68	0
Jackson State	L	14	20
Texas Southern	W	20	14
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	W	39	13
Wiley	W	70	12
Southern	W	27	20
Florida A&M	W	28	25

1968

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 9-2/6-1 SWAC

SWAC Co-Champions

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	L	13	28
Morgan State	L	7	8
Tennessee State	W	30	21
Miss. Valley State	W	28	13
Prairie View A&M	W	22	14
Jackson State	W	35	33
Texas Southern	W	28	18
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	W	46	20
Wiley	W	37	6
Southern	W	34	32
Sacramento State	W	34	7

1969

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 6-4/5-2 SWAC

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	L	7	28
Morgan State	W	30	12
Prairie View A&M	W	58	25
Tennessee State	L	20	34
Miss. Valley State	W	41	14
Jackson State	W	62	12
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	W	42	0
Texas Southern	W	28	26

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YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS \\\

1988

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 8-3/5-2 SWAC

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	W	27	13
Howard	L	20	35
Bethune-Cookman	W	17	16
Prairie View A&M	W	40	14
Tennessee State	W	35	33
Miss. Valley State	W	27	17
Jackson State	L	17	24
Texas Southern	W	49	7
Alabama State	W	34	0
South Carolina State	W	45	16
Southern	L	3	10

1989

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 9-3/7-0 SWAC

SWAC Champions

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	W	35	30
Howard	L	0	6
Alabama A&M	W	34	22
Prairie View A&M	W	39	0
Tennessee State	L	14	15
Miss. Valley State	W	74	14
Jackson State	W	27	17
Texas Southern	W	49	6
Alabama State	W	28	6
South Carolina State	W	56	10
Southern	W	44	30
Stephen F. Austin	L	56	59

1990

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 8-3/3-3 SWAC

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	W	42	13
Tennessee State	W	37	20
Hampton	W	22	3
Elizabeth City State	W	67	3
Alabama A&M	W	27	20
Miss. Valley State	L	20	38
Jackson State	L	19	29
Texas SouthernS	W	52	36
Alabama State	L	14	37
South Carolina State	W	39	15
Southern	W	25	13

1991

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 5-6/3-4 SWAC

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	L	22	27
Virginia Union	L	37	46
Tennessee State	W	24	21
North Carolina A&T	L	12	28
Prairie View A&M	W	77	7
Miss. Valley State	W	37	35
Jackson State	L	22	34
Texas Southern	W	30	27
Alabama State	L	14	60
Florida A&M	W	25	22
Southern	L	30	31

1992

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 10-2/6-1 SWAC

Black College Football National Champions

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	L	33	35
Virginia Union	W	54	6
Tennessee State	W	38	28
Delaware State	L	42	45
Prairie View A&M	W	63	3
Miss. Valley State	W	49	6
Jackson State	W	34	31
Texas Southern	W	24	17

Alabama State	W	44	19
Florida A&M	W	27	10
Southern	W	30	27
Florida A&M	W	45	15

1993

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 7-4/4-3 SWAC

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	L	24	25
Tennessee State	W	33	28
Hampton	L	26	27
Prairie View A&M	W	49	0
Miss. Valley State	W	28	19
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	W	45	7
Jackson State	W	20	14
Texas Southern	W	50	26
Alabama State	L	10	16
Florida A&M	W	39	13
Southern	L	13	31

1994

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 9-3/6-1 SWAC

SWAC Co-Champions

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	W	62	56
Morgan State	W	87	12
Hampton	W	32	29
Prairie View A&M	W	66	0
Miss. Valley State	W	24	7
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	W	44	17
Jackson State	W	28	17
Texas Southern	W	51	20
Alabama State	W	51	24
Florida A&M	L	0	13
Southern	L	7	34
South Carolina State	L	27	31

1995

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 5-6/4-3 SWAC

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	W	39	17
Hampton	L	7	16
Central State	L	14	16
Prairie View A&M	W	64	0
SMiss. Valley State	W	42	6
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	L	14	17
Jackson State	L	28	29
Texas Southern	W	56	14
Alabama State	L	16	37
Elizabeth City State	W	42	12
Southern	L	14	30

1996

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 3-8/2-5 SWAC

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	L	6	31
Central State	L	7	20
Langston	L	14	15
Prairie View A&M	W	54	12
Miss. Valley State	L	10	19
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	W	32	15
Jackson State	L	0	52
Texas Southern	L	7	52
Alabama State	W	7	0
North Carolina A&T	L	12	17
Southern	L	12	17

1997

Head Coach: Eddie Robinson

Record: 3-7/2-6 SWAC

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	L	20	44
Langston	W	20	0
Hampton	L	7	42
Prairie View A&M	W	33	6

Miss. Valley State	W	20	13
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	L	16	22
Jackson State	L	0	23
Texas Southern	L	16	21
Alabama State	L	13	38
Southern	L	7	30

1998

Head Coach: Doug Williams

Record: 5-6/4-4 SWAC

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	W	11	0
Alabama A&M	L	13	14
Hampton	L	15	28
Prairie View A&M	W	55	40
Miss. Valley State	W	21	13
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	L	33	54
Jackson State	L	35	68
Texas Southern	L	24	41
Alabama State	W	31	6
Winston-Salem State	W	35	28
Southern	L	14	26

1999

Head Coach: Doug Williams

Record: 7-4/2-2 SWAC

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	W	41	25
Alabama A&M	W	36	31
Jackson State	L	6	31
Hampton	L	7	27
Prairie View A&M	W	47	19
Miss. Valley State	W	42	19
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	W	24	19
Texas Southern	L	20	21
Alabama State	W	36	13
Winston-Salem State	W	25	23
Southern	L	31	37

2000

Head Coach: Doug Williams

Record: 10-2/6-1 SWAC

SWAC Champions

Black College Football National Champions

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	W	29	6
Louisville	L	0	52
Alabama A&M	W	17	14
Miss. Valley State	W	49	13
Prairie View A&M	W	47	7
Florida A&M	W	12	10
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	W	24	17
Jackson State	W	33	30
Texas Southern	W	26	17
Alabama State	W	20	2
Southern	L	29	33
Alabama A&M	W	14	6

2001

Head Coach: Doug Williams

Record: 10-1/6-1 SWAC

SWAC Champions

Black College Football National Champions

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	W	37	22
Alabama A&M	W	30	7
Portland State	W	30	29
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	W	60	7
Florida A&M	W	12	10
Jackson State	W	30	16
Texas Southern	W	43	3
Alabama State	L	38	45
Nicholls State	W	37	28
Southern	W	30	20
Alabama State	W	38	31

2002

Head Coach: Doug Williams

Record: 11-2/6-1 SWAC

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
McNeese State	L	20	52
Alcorn State	W	41	35
Alabama A&M	W	23	13
Tennessee State	W	49	14

Langston	W	37	30
Prairie View A&M	W	35	13
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	W	54	15
Jackson State	W	52	31
Texas Southern	W	42	28
Alabama State	W	34	21
Morris Brown	W	64	36
Southern	L	24	48
Alabama A&M	W	31	19

2003

Head Coach: Doug Williams

Record: 9-3/6-1 SWAC

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
San Jose State	L	0	29
Alcorn State	W	40	28
Alabama A&M	W	45	14
McNeese State	L	20	31
Prairie View A&M	W	65	7
Miss. Valley State	W	45	6
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	W	41	16
Jackson State@	W	24	17
Texas Southern	W	48	15
Alabama State	W	37	34
Savannah State	W	33	17
Southern	L	41	44

2004

Head Coach: Melvin Spears

Record: 6-5/3-4 SWAC

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alcorn State	L	23	34
Alabama A&M	L	9	21
Bethune-Cookman	W	24	23
Prairie View A&M	W	53	32
Miss. Valley State	W	34	26
Ark.-Pine Bluff	L	22	41
Jackson State	L	23	32
Texas Southern	W	28	10
Alabama State	L	23	37
Savannah State	W	31	26
Southern	W	24	13

2005

Head Coach: Melvin Spears

Record: 11-1/9-0 SWAC

SWAC Champions

Black College Football National Champions

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Alabama A&M	W	44	0
Washington State	L	7	48
Prairie View A&M	W	50	7
Miss. Valley State	W	37	22
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	W	26	23
Jackson State	W	52	21
Texas Southern	W	58	21
Alabama State	W	32	27
Concordia	W	82	7
Southern	W	50	35
Alcorn State	W	46	19
Alabama A&M	W	45	6

2006

Head Coach: Melvin Spears

Record: 3-8/3-6 SWAC

OPPONENT	W-L-T	GSU	OPP.
Hampton	L	26	27 (OT)
Alabama A&M	L	27	30 (OT)
Houston	L	22	42
Prairie View A&M	W	53	7
Miss. Valley State	W	28	25
Arkansas-Pine Bluff	L	28	33
Jackson State	W	36	7
Texas Southern	L	28	33
Alabama State	L	16	35
Southern	L	17	21
Alcorn State	L	14	21

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ALL-TIME RESULTS VS OPPONENTS \\\

ALABAMA A&M [21-6]

YEAR	Date	GSU	Opp.
1989		34	22
1990		27	20
1998		13	14
1999		36	31
2000		17	14
2000		14	6
2001		30	7
2002		23	13
2002		31	19
2003		45	14
2004		9	21
2005		44	0
2005		45	6
2006		27	30 (OT)
2007		31	6
2008		27	9
2009	10/10	41	20
2010	10/2	25	22
2011	9/24	14	20
2011	12/10	16	15
2012	9/29	17	38
2013	8/31	9	23
2014	10/4	38	28
2016	11/5	56	17
2018	11/10	29	16
2019	10/12	23	10
2021	10.2	37	28

Alabama A&M Series Notes

Grambling State Points	758
Alabama A&M Points	469
Games Decided by 3 Points or Less	3-2
Games Decided by 7 Points or Less	5-3
Longest Winning Streak	7 (1999-2003)
Current Streak	Won 5
Last 10 Games	7-3
Biggest Win	56-17 (2016)
Biggest Loss	17-38 (2012)

ALABAMA STATE [28-14]

YEAR	Date	GSU	Opp.
1979		21	7
1980		28	14
1981		19	7
1982		36	14
1983		28	9
1984		17	6
1985		28	0
1986		19	7
1987		7	17
1988		34	0
1989		28	6
1990		14	37
1991		14	60
1992		44	19
1993		10	16
1994		51	24
1995		16	37
1996		7	0
1997		13	38
1998		31	6
1999		36	13
2000		20	2
2001		38	45
2001		38	31
2002		34	21
2003		37	34
2004		23	37
2005		32	27
2006		16	35

2007		21	7
2008		27	7
2009	10/17	23	12
2010	10/9	22	7
2011	9/17	17	31
2012	9/15	18	19
2013	9/21	21	52
2014	11/15	23	37
2015	9/19	34	10
2016	11/12	21	0
2017	11/11	24	7
2018	9/22	34	0
2019	9/21	20	23

Alabama State Series Notes

Grambling State Points	1,044
Alabama State Points	774
Games Decided by 3 Points or Less	1-2
Games Decided by 7 Points or Less	4-4
Longest Winning Streak	8 (1979-1986)
Current Streak	Lost 1
Last 10 Games	5-5
Biggest Win	34-0 (1988)
Biggest Loss	14-60 (1991)

ALCORN STATE [46-23-3]

YEAR	Date	GSU	Opp.
1952		27	13
1954		6	26
1955		13	6
1956		33	12
1957		53	0
1958		48	6
1961		49	0
1962		46	7
1963		40	23
1964		32	14
1965		26	13
1966		14	13
1967		13	7
1968		13	28
1969		7	28
1970		7	10
1971		21	6
1972		6	9
1973		22	6
1974		14	19
1975		27	3
1976		0	2
1977		42	17
1978		21	13
1979		40	6
1980		27	29
1981		13	10
1982		31	14
1983		28	0
1984		13	27
1985		30	20
1986		19	17
1987		24	28
1988		27	13
1989		35	30
1990		42	13
1991		22	27
1992		33	35
1993		24	25
1994		62	56
1995		39	17
1996		6	31
1997		20	44
1998		11	0
1999		41	25

2000		29	6
2001		37	22
2002		41	35
2003		40	28
2004		23	34
2005		46	19
2006		14	21
2007		31	10
2008		29	0
2010	10/16	38	28
2011	9/3	21	14
2012	9/1	21	22
2013	10/12	0	48
2014	10/11	28	21
2015	10/17	35	34
2015	12/5	21	49
2016	9/24	43	18
2016	12/3	27	20
2017	10/21	41	14
2017	12/2	40	32
2018	10/20	26	33
2019	11/9	19	16 (ot)
2021	10.9	20	24

Alcorn State Series Notes

Grambling State Points	1,837
Alcorn State Points	1,296
Games Decided by 3 Points or Less	5-6
Games Decided by 7 Points or Less	10-12
Longest Winning Streak	11 (1955-1967)
Current Streak	Lost 1
Last 10 Games	6-4
Biggest Win	53-0 (1957)
Biggest Loss	0-48 (2013)

ARIZONA (0-1)

YEAR	Date	GSU	Opp.
2016	9/10	21	31

Arizona Series Notes

Grambling State Points	21
Arizona Points	31
Games Decided by 3 Points or Less	0-0
Games Decided by 7 Points or Less	0-0
Longest Winning Streak	None
Current Streak	Lost 1
Last 10 Games	0-1
Biggest Win	None
Biggest Loss	21-31 (2016)

ARKANSAS-PINE BLUFF [31-13-2]

YEAR	Date	GSU	Opp.
1951		13	25
1952		35	19
1953		20	16
1954		21	13
1955		38	6
1958		6	7
1959		6	7
1960		33	12
1962		20	20
1963		7	7
1964		39	0
1965		21	9
1966		61	21
1967		39	13
1968		46	20
1969		42	0
1970		41	13
1971		20	16
1993		45	7
1994		44	17

Grambling State Points	70
Nicholls Points	42
Games Decided by 3 Points or Less	0-0
Games Decided by 7 Points or Less	0-0
Longest Winning Streak	2 (1982-2001)

>>>>>>>> ALL-TIME RECORDS

ALL-TIME RESULTS VS OPPONENTS \\\

1983	42	8
1984	42	0
1985	27	7
1986	19	24
1987	28	7
1988	40	14
1989	39	0
1991	77	7
1992	63	3
1993	49	0
1994	66	0
1995	44	0
1996	54	12
1997	33	6
1998	55	40
1999	47	19
2000	12	10
2002	35	13
2003	65	7
2004	53	32
2005	50	7
2006	53	7
2007	17	14
2008	40	16
2009	10/3	32 35
2010	9/25	34 17
2011	10/1	22 31
2012	10/6	14 31
2013	10/5	3 31
2014	9/27	26 20
2015	9/26	70 54
2016	10/1	36 16
2017	10/7	34 21
2018	9/29	16 22
2019	9/28	36 42
2021	3/13	10 17
2021	9/25	10 24

Prairie View A&M Series Notes		
Grambling State Points	2,359	
Prairie View A&M Points	1,089	
Games Decided by 3 Points or Less	2-1	
Games Decided by 7 Points or Less	3-1	
Longest Winning Streak	20 (1987-2008)	
Current Streak	Lost 4	
Last 10 Games	4-6	
Biggest Win	77-7 (1991)	
Biggest Loss	6-44 (1958)	

PORTLAND STATE [1-0]

YEAR	Date	GSU	Opp.
2001		30	29

Portland State Series Notes		
Grambling State Points	30	
Portland State Points	29	
Games Decided by 3 Points or Less	1-0	
Games Decided by 7 Points or Less	1-0	
Longest Winning Streak	1 (2001)	
Current Streak	Won 1	
Last 10 Games	1-0	
Biggest Win	30-29 (2001)	
Biggest Loss	None	

SACRAMENTO STATE [1-0]

YEAR	Date	GSU	Opp.
1968		34	7

Sacramento State Series Notes		
Grambling State Points	34	
Sacramento State Points	7	
Games Decided by 3 Points or Less	0-0	

Games Decided by 7 Points or Less	0-0
Longest Winning Streak	1 (1968)
Current Streak	Won 1
Last 10 Games	1-0
Biggest Win	34-7 (1968)
Biggest Loss	None

SAN JOSE STATE [0-1]

YEAR	Date	GSU	Opp.
2003		0	29

San Jose State Series Notes		
Grambling State Points	0	
San Jose State Points	29	
Games Decided by 3 Points or Less	0-0	
Games Decided by 7 Points or Less	0-0	
Longest Winning Streak	None	
Current Streak	Lost 1	
Last 10 Games	0-1	
Biggest Win	None	
Biggest Loss	0-29 (2003)	

SAVANNAH STATE [2-0]

YEAR	Date	GSU	Opp.
2003		33	17
2004		31	26

Savannah State Series Notes		
Grambling State Points	64	
Savannah State Points	43	
Games Decided by 3 Points or Less	0-0	
Games Decided by 7 Points or Less	1-0	
Longest Winning Streak	2 (2003-2004)	
Current Streak	Won 2	
Last 10 Games	2-0	
Biggest Win	33-17 (2003)	
Biggest Loss	None	

SOUTH CAROLINA STATE [10-5]

YEAR	Date	GSU	Opp.
1974		28	7
1978		19	15
1979		22	15
1980		26	3
1981		14	30
1983		14	3
1984		8	7
1985		10	13
1986		20	16
1987		13	15
1988		45	16
1989		56	10
1990		39	15
1994		27	31
2009	9/6	31	34

South Carolina State Series Notes		
Grambling State Points	372	
South Carolina State Points	230	
Games Decided by 3 Points or Less	1-3	
Games Decided by 7 Points or Less	4-4	
Longest Winning Streak	4 (1974-1980)	
Current Streak	Lost 2	
Last 10 Games	6-4	
Biggest Win	56-10 (1989)	
Biggest Loss	14-30 (1981)	

SOUTHERN [34-39]

YEAR	Date	GSU	Opp.
1932		0	20
1933		0	20

1934	9	25
1935	6	64
1936	0	36
1938	0	20
1939	7	53
1946	0	38
1947	21	6
1948	0	18
1959	6	12
1960	6	16
1961	9	20
1962	14	3
1963	21	22
1964	20	17
1965	34	14
1966	13	41
1967	27	20
1968	34	32
1969	6	15
1970	37	24
1971	31	3
1972	1	0+
1973	19	14
1974	11/23	21 0
1975	11/29	33 17
1976	11/27	10 2
1977	11/26	55 20
1978	11/25	28 15
1979	12/1	7 14
1980	11/29	43 16
1981	11/21	20 50
1982	11/27	17 22
1983	11/26	24 10
1984	11/24	31 29
1985	11/23	29 12
1986	11/29	30 3
1987	11/28	21 27
1988	11/26	3 10
1989	11/18	44 30
1990	11/24	25 13
1991	11/30	30 31
1992	11/28	30 27
1993	11/27	13 31
1994	11/26	7 34
1995	11/25	14 30
1996	11/30	12 17
1997	11/29	7 30
1998	11/28	14 26
1999	11/27	31 37
2000	11/25	29 33
2001	11/24	30 20
2002	11/30	24 48
2003	11/29	41 44
2004	11/27	24 13
2005	11/26	50 35
2006	11/25	17 21
2007	11/24	13 22
2008	11/29	29 14
2009	11/28	31 13
2010	11/27	38 17
2011	11/26	36 12
2012	11/24	33 38
2013	11/30	17 40
2014	11/29	45 52
2015	11/28	34 23
2016	11/26	52 30
2017	11/25	30 21
2018	11/24	28 38
2019	11/30	28 30
2021	4/17	7 49
2021	11/27	29 26

>>>>>>>> ALL-TIME CONFERENCE HONORS

ALL-SWAC HONORS

1983		
Name	Pos.	Team
Reginald Pugh	FB	1st
Robert Smith	DE	1st
James Polk	DT	1st
Ed Scott	DB	1st
Levelle Moore	OG	2nd
Don Carter	OT	2nd
Dwayne Jupiter	WR	2nd
Schirra Finn	DT	2nd
Darryl Nicholas	LB	2nd
Bennie Thompson	DB	2nd
Jorge Rosales	PK	2nd
Mike Harrington	P	2nd

1984		
Name	Pos.	Team
Jorge Rosales	PK	1st
Schirra Finn	DL	1st
James Polk	DL	1st
Elston Piper	LB	1st
Bennie Thompson	DB	1st
Levelle Moore	OG	2nd
Donald Carter	OT	2nd
Reginald Pugh	FB	2nd
Kevin Jackson	DB	2nd
Carl Senegal	OT	HM
Marti Wyatt	C	HM
Dwayne Jupiter	WR	HM
Leonard Griffin	DE	HM
Sean Smith	DE	HM

1985		
Name	Pos.	Team
Dwayne Richard	OG	1st
Levelle Moore	OG	1st
Ardashir Nobahar	PK	1st
Sean Smith	DL	1st
Fred Collins Jr.	LB	1st
Robert Goins	DB	1st
Wayne Hill	RB	2nd
James Polk	DL	2nd
James Harris	LB	2nd

1986		
Name	Pos.	Team
Arthur Wells	TE	1st
Jerome Penn	OG	1st
Ardashir Nobahar	K	1st
Sean Smith	DL	1st
Joe Williams	LB	1st
Anthony Williams	DB	1st
Daniel Jones	C	2nd
Curtis Maxey	DL	2nd
Victor Hill	DB	2nd
Wayne Hill	RB	HM
Ricky Warren	OT	HM
Patrick Scott	WR	HM
Leroy Humphries	LB	HM
Sygmnd Holland	LB	HM
Calvin Nicholas	WR	HM
Terry Rose	WR	HM

1987		
Name	Pos.	Team
Michael Harris	C	1st
Chauncey Allen	QB	1st
Curtis Maxey	DT	1st
Robert Reddix	DB	1st
Toney Griffin	OG	2nd
Ricky Warren	OG	2nd

Terry Rose	WR	2nd
Shawn Kramer	PK	2nd
Sygmnd Holland	LB	2nd
Jeffrey Smith	DB	2nd
Richie Crosby	SE	HM
Darryl Smith	OG	HM
Fred Jones	WR	HM

1988		
Name	Pos.	Team
Fred Jones	WR	1st
Richie Crosby	WR	1st
Clemente Gordon	QB	1st
Gerald Broadway	P	1st
Brian Tobey	FB	2nd
Walter Dean	RB	2nd
Shawn Kramer	PK	2nd
Ricky Warren	OT	2nd
Gerald Muse	LB	2nd
Nate Singleton	RS	2nd
Reggie Williams	LB	HM
Michael Harris	OC	HM
Sygmnd Holland	LB	HM
Charles Davis	DB	HM
Marlon Williams	RS	HM

1989		
Offensive Player of the Year - Clemente Gordon		
Coach of the Year - Eddie Robinson		
Name	Pos.	Team
Raymond Smith	OT	1st
Daniel Jones	OC	1st
Walter Dean	RB	1st
Clemente Gordon	QB	1st
Fred Jones	WR	1st
Henry Blades	DT	1st
Robert Pinckney	DT	1st
Ivan Gerald	DB	1st
Franklin Thomas	TE	2nd
Herman Arvie	OT	2nd
Jake Reed	WR	2nd
Gerrick Muse	LB	2nd

1990		
Offensive Player of the Year - Walter Dean		
Return Specialist of the Year - Thaylen Armstead		
Name	Pos.	Team
Raymond Smith	OT	1st
Walter Dean	RB	1st
Henry Blades	DL	1st
Ivan Gerald	DB	1st
Jake Reed	WR	1st
Bradford Butler	OG	2nd
Darryl Milburn	DL	2nd
Thomas Griffin	LB	2nd
Thaylen Armstead	RS	2nd

1991		
Name	Pos.	Team
Eric Gant	FB	1st
Thomas Griffin	LB	1st
Nate Singleton	WR	1st
Robert Pinckney	DT	2nd

1992		
Name	Pos.	Team
Herman Arvie	OT	1st
Lionel Cryer	LB	1st
E'Vinski Davis	C	1st
Eric Gant	FB	1st

Allen Lynn Hart	DL	1st
Gilad Landau	PK	1st
Shane Oubre	FS	2nd
Ronald Perry	LB	2nd
Craigory Sam	OG	1st
Brannon Simpson	P	1st

1993		
Newcomer of the Year - Kendrick Nord		
Name	Pos.	Team
Eric Fontenot	DL	1st
Roderick Henderson	OT	1st
Tyronne Jones	P	1st
Gilad Landau	PK	1st
Kendrick Nord	QB	1st
Albert Reese	DL	1st
Eudean Toney	DB	1st
Elliott Womack	OG	1st

1994		
Defensive Player of the Year - Keifer Phillips		
Name	Pos.	Team
Shelly Barnett	DB	1st
Norman Bradford	RB	1st
Eric Fontenot	DL	1st
Christopher Johnson	OL	1st
Gilad Landau	PK	1st
Keifer Phillips	LB	1st
Albert Reese	DE	1st
Elliott Womack	OL	1st
Kai Burrell	DL	2nd
Curtis Caesar	WR	2nd
Akili Johnson	DB	2nd
Uzoma Moore	OL	2nd
Roderick Mullen	DB	2nd
Kendrick Nord	QB	2nd

1995		
Name	Pos.	Team
Elliott Womack	OL	1st
Uzoma Moore	OL	2nd
James Brooks	OL	2nd
Valmond (JB) Johnson	DB	2nd
Brannon Simpson	P	2nd

1996		
Name	Pos.	Team
Jay Johnson	RB	1st
Chris Samson	DB	1st
Jerry Meyers	OL	2nd

1997		
Name	Pos.	Team
Jerry Myers	OL	1st
Terroge Flanigan	DB	1st
Corey Caesar	WR	2nd

1998		
Name	Pos.	Team
Chris Lazard	DL	1st
Calvin Spears	DB	2nd

1999		
Name	Pos.	Team
Scotty Anderson	WR	1st
Lionel Hayes	QB	1st
Calvin Spears	DB	1st

2000		
Coach of the Year - Doug Williams		
Name	Pos.	Team
Scotty Anderson	WR	1st
Larry Metevia	OL	1st
Robert Taylor	LB	1st
Calvin Spears	DB	1st
Willie Gray	DL	2nd
Terrance Dukes	LB	2nd

2001		
Coach of the Year - Doug Williams		
Name	Pos.	Team
Larry Metevia	OL	1st
Robert Taylor	LB	1st
Calvin Spears	DB	1st
Willie Gray	DL	1st
Mark Hall	DL	1st
William Jackson	OL	1st
Brian Morgan	PK	1st
Terrance Dukes	LB	2nd
Antwan Lawrence	DL	2nd
Chris Brown	DB	2nd
Denmark Reed	DB	2nd

2002		
Offensive Player of the Year - Bruce Eugene		
Coach of the Year - Doug Williams		
Name	Pos.	Team
Gershone Jessie	TE	1st
Terry Riley	OL	1st
Brandon James	OL	1st
Bruce Eugene	QB	1st
Tramon Douglas	WR	1st
Willie Gray	DL	1st
Chris Brown	DB	1st
Antwan Lawrence	DL	2nd
Karrell Charles	RB	2nd

2003		
Name	Pos.	Team
Jonathan Banks	OL	2nd
Octavius Bond	DB	1st
Tramon Douglas	WR	1st
Brian Morgan	PK	1st
Lennard Patton	DL	2nd
Darryl Rodgers	OL	2nd

2004		
Freshman of the Year - Brandon Landers		
Name	Pos.	Team
Andre' Bennett	OT	1st
Brandon Landers	QB	1st
Ruben Mayes	RB	1st
Brian Morgan	PK	1st
Kenneth Pettway	DL	1st
Landry Carter	RS	2nd
Ab Kuuan	RB	2nd

2005		
Name	Pos.	Team
Jonathan Banks	OT	1st
Bruce Eugene	QB	1st
Jason Hatcher	DE	1st
Jermaine Mills	DB	1st
Andre' Bennett	OL	2nd
Ab Kuuan	RB	2nd
Tim Abney	TE	2nd
Henry Tolbert	WR	2nd
Matt Duhe'	DL	2nd
Dimitri Carr	LB	2nd

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NFL ALL-TIME ROSTER |||

Name	Pos.	Teams	Years
BRYANT, William "Bill" Jr.	(DB)	Philadelphia Eagles	1978-79
		New York Giants	1976-78
		Cincinnati Bengals	1974
BUCHANAN, Junious "Buck"	(DL)	Kansas City Chiefs	1963-75
BURTON, Robert	(OT)	Boston Patriots	1964
		Houston Oilers	1963
BUTCHER, Dexter	(RB)	Arizona Cardinals	1993
CALEB, Jamie	(RB)	Cleveland Browns	1965
		Minnesota Vikings	1961
		Cleveland Browns	1960
CARTER, Johnny	(DT)	Los Angeles Raiders	1989
		Denver Broncos	1988
CARTER, Joseph	(TE)	Philadelphia Eagles	1972
		Dallas Cowboys	1971
CARTER, Leroy	(HB)	Buffalo Bills	1966
CAESAR, Curtis	(WR)	New York Jets (R)	1994
CHRISTOPHER, Herman	(RB)	Los Angeles Rams	1973
COLLINS, Fred	(OL)	San Diego Chargers	1964
COOK, Charles	(DB)	Pittsburgh Steelers	1963
CORNISH, Frank	(DT)	Kansas City Chiefs	1973
		Buffalo Bills	1972
		Miami Dolphins	1970-71
		Chicago Bears	1966-70
COTTON, Curtis	(HB)	Denver Broncos	1960
CRAWFORD, Hilton	(DB)	Buffalo Bills	1969
		San Francisco 49ers	1969
CRUSOE, Curtis	(DT)	San Francisco 49ers	1979
DAVIS, Henry	(LB)	Pittsburgh Steelers	1970-73
		New York Giants	1968-69
DAVIS, Norman	(OG)	Philadelphia Eagles	1970
		New Orleans Saints	1969
		Baltimore Colts	1967
DAVIS, Tyrone	(RB)	San Diego Chargers	1991
DAVIS, Willie	(DE/OT)	Green Bay Packers	1960-69
		Cleveland Browns	1958-59
DAY, Chris	(CB)	Green Bay Packers	2004
		Green Bay Packers	1991-92
DENNIS, Albert III	(OL)	Cleveland Browns	1974, 1976-77
		San Diego Chargers	1973
		Dallas Cowboys	1973
DENNIS, Steve	(DB)	Dallas Cowboys	1973
DIZER, DeMichael	(DB)	Seattle Seahawks	2008
DOTSON, Alphonse	(DT)	St. Louis Cardinals	1971
		Oakland Raiders	1968-70
		Kansas City Chiefs	1967
		Miami Dolphins	1966
		Kansas City Chiefs	1965
DOUGLAS, Tramon	(WR)	Tennessee Titans	2004
DYER, Henry	(FB)	St. Louis Cardinals	1972
		Cincinnati Bengals	1971
		Washington Redskins	1969-70
EDWARDS, Clyde	(WR)	Los Angeles Rams	1966-68
		Jacksonville Jaguars	2008
		Chicago Bears	2007
FASSITT, Greg	(DB)	New Orleans Saints	2008
FAVORITE, Larry	(OT)	Atlanta Falcons	1976
FIELDS, Gregory	(DT)	Baltimore Colts	1979-80
FOBBS, Lee	(RB)	Detroit Lions	1978
		Buffalo Bills	1973
FONTENOT, Eric	(DL)	Pittsburgh Steelers (R)	1994
FREELON, Solomon	(OG)	Tampa Bay Buccaneers	1977
		Houston Oilers	1972-74
FREEMAN, Clifford	(DB)	Atlanta Falcons	1979
GANT, Eric	(FB)	Arizona Cardinals	1996
		New York Jets	1995
		New York Giants	1994
GARRETT, John "J.D"	(HB)	Boston Patriots	1966-67
GRAY, John	(DT)	Houston Oilers	1967
GRAY, Julian	(DB)	New York Jets	1967
GASPER, Cliff	(DT)	New Orleans Saints	1970
GILLIAM, Arthur	(DE)	Denver Broncos	1976

Name	Pos.	Teams	Years
GLOVER, Andrew	(WR)	New Orleans Saints	2000-02
		Minnesota Vikings	1997-00
		Los Angeles Raiders	1991-96
GORDON, Clemente	(QB)	Dallas Cowboys	1990
		Cleveland Browns	1990
GORDON, Jerry	(WR)	Tampa Bay Buccaneers	1982
GORDON, Joe	(WR)	Buffalo Bills	1980
GRAHAM, Renaldo	(TE)	Philadelphia Eagles	1996
GRANT, Steven	(WR)	Philadelphia Eagles	1991
GREEN, Raymond	(DB)	New York Jets	1967
GREENE, Tracy	(TE)	Kansas City Chiefs	1994
GRIFFIN, James	(DE)	Cincinnati Bengals	1968-69
		San Diego Chargers	1966-67
		San Francisco 49ers	1965
GRIFFIN, Leonard	(DE)	Kansas City Chiefs	1986-93
		New Orleans Saints	1992
HALL, Eugene	(LB)	San Diego Chargers	1979-80
HARRIS, James "Shack"	(QB)	San Diego Chargers	1977-81
		Los Angeles Rams	1973-76
		Buffalo Bills	1969-71
HARRIS, Michael	(OL)	Kansas City Chiefs	1989
		New York Jets	1978
HARRIS, Michael	(DB)	Philadelphia Eagles	1977
		Pittsburgh Steelers	1977
		Seattle Seahawks	1976-77
		Chicago Bears	1974-75
HATCHER, Jason	(DL)	Philadelphia Eagles	1971-73
		Dallas Cowboys	2006-13
		Washington Redskins	2013-15
HAYNES, Isadore	(RB)	Kansas City Chiefs	1964
		Kansas City Chiefs	2007
HICKS, David	(LB)	Kansas City Chiefs	2007
HOLDEN, Samuel	(OL)	New Orleans Saints	1971
HOLMES, Frank	(QB)	Dallas Cowboys	1971
HOWARD, Andrew	(DE)	Atlanta Falcons	1972
HOWELL, Autrey Lane	(OT/DT)	New York Giants	1971
		Philadelphia Eagles	1965-69
		New York Giants	1963-64
HOWELL, Delles	(DB)	New York Jets	1973-75
		New Orleans Saints	1970-72
HOWELL, Michael	(DB)	Miami Dolphins	1972
		Cleveland Browns	1965-72
HUGHES, Walter	(OL)	St. Louis Cardinals	1972
HUNTER, James	(DB)	Detroit Lions	1976-82
HUNTER, Lawrence	(DB)	Green Bay Packers	1981
HYMES, Randy	(WR)	Baltimore Ravens	2002-2005
		Minnesota Vikings	2007
IRVING, Reginald	(OG)	Oakland Raiders	1981
JACKSON, Kenneth	(RB)	Houston Oilers	1962
JACKSON, Louis	(DB)	New York Jets	1967
		Baltimore Colts	1961
JAMES, Jerald	(PK/OT)	Atlanta Falcons	1996
		Atlanta Falcons	1994
JOHNSON, Akili	(DB)	St. Louis Cardinals	1981
		San Francisco 49ers	1979-80
		Atlanta Falcons	1979
JOHNSON, Essex	(DB)	Tampa Bay Buccaneers	1976
		Cincinnati Bengals	1968-75
		San Francisco 49ers	1984-85
JOHNSON, Gary "Big Hands"	(DT)	San Diego Chargers	1975-84
		Kansas City Chiefs	1963
JOHNSON, Stone (Died on Sept. 6, 1963)	(WR/DB)	Buffalo Bills	1987-88
		San Diego Chargers	1985-86
JOHNSON, Trumaine	(WR)	San Diego Chargers	1976-86
		Cincinnati Bengals	1972-75
		Houston Oilers	1969-72
JONES, Fred	(WR)	Kansas City Chiefs	1990-93
		Los Angeles Rams	1969
JONES, Harold	(DL)	Cincinnati Bengals	1968
		Green Bay Packers	1971
JONES, Henry	(FB)	Denver Broncos	1969
		Philadelphia Eagles	1970
JONES, Robert	(DT)	Indianapolis Colts	1994
JONES, Tyronne	(WR)	Indianapolis Colts	1994

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TAYLOR, Sammie	(WR)	San Diego Chargers	1965
THOMAS, Franklin	(TE)	Kansas City Chiefs	1994
		New Orleans Saints	1994
		Detroit Lions	1991
THOMAS, Kenneth	(DT)	Chicago Bears	1963
Name	Pos.	Teams	Years
THOMAS, Troy	(DE)	Green Bay Packers	1980
		San Francisco 49ers	1979
THOMPSON, Bennie	(DB)	Baltimore Ravens	1996-97
		Los Angeles Raiders	1994-95
		Kansas City Chiefs	1992
		New Orleans Saints	1989-91
TOBEY, Bryan	(RB)	Cleveland Browns	1990
		Kansas City Chiefs	1989
TONEY, Eudean	(DB)	Cleveland Browns	1994
TURNER, Sandas	(RB)	New York Jets	1975
WADE, Ellis	(DB)	St. Louis Cardinals	1969
WALLACE, Samuel	(OG)	New York Jets	1970
WALLS, Everson	(DB)	Cleveland Browns	1992-93
		New York Giants	1989-92
		Dallas Cowboys	1981-89
WARREN, Ricky	(OT)	New Orleans Saints	1989
WASHINGTON, Charles	(DB/HB)	Pittsburgh Steelers	1966-67
WATSON, Edward	(LB)	New England Patriots	1971
		Houston Oilers	1969
WELLS, Arthur	(TE)	New Orleans Saints	1987
WHITE, James	(DB)	Philadelphia Eagles	1981
WHITE, Sammy	(WR)	Minnesota Vikings	1976-86
WILLIAMS, Chad	WR	Arizona Cardinals	2017-18
		Indianapolis Colts	2019
		Kansas City Chiefs	2020-21
WILLIAMS, Charles	(DB)	San Diego Chargers	1973
WILLIAMS, Donald	(OG)	Denver Broncos	1964
WILLIAMS, Doug (QB)		Washington Redskins	1986-89
		Oklahoma Outlaws (USFL)	1984-85
		Tampa Bay Buccaneers	1978-83
WILLIAMS, Eugene	(DB)	New York Jets	1976
WILLIAMS, Joe	(LB)	Pittsburgh Steelers	1987
WILLIAMS, Robert	(DT)	Pittsburgh Steelers	1971
WILLIAMS, Roger	(DB/WR)	Philadelphia Eagles	1973
		Los Angeles Rams	1971-73
WILLIAMS, Terry	(RB/TE)	Philadelphia Eagles	1974
		Houston Oilers	1973
		Buffalo Bills	1970
WILLIAMS, Walter	(RB)	Green Bay Packers	2004
		New England Patriots	2001-03
WILLIAMS, Willie	(DB)	New York Giants	1967-73
		Oakland Raiders	1966
		New York Giants	1965
WILSON, Nemiah	(DB)	Chicago Bears	1975
		Oakland Raiders	1968-74
		New York Jets	1968
		Denver Broncos	1965-67
WOODS, Robert	(KR/WR)	Detroit Lions	1979
		Houston Oilers	1978
		Cleveland Browns	1978
		Kansas City Chiefs	1978
YOUNG, Willie	(OT)	New York Giants	1966-76
YOUNGER, Paul "Tank"	(RB/LB)	Pittsburgh Steelers	1958
		Los Angeles Rams	1949-57
ZENO, Coleman	(WR)	Washington Redskins	1972-73
		New York Jets	1971
ZIMMERMAN, Willie	(TE)	New York Jets	1977
		Philadelphia Eagles	1975-76



Chester Rogers - Tennessee Titans



Trent Scott - Pittsburgh Steelers

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Name	Pos.	Year	Round	Pick	Team
Paul "Tank" Younger	FB/LB	1949	Free Agent		Los Angeles Rams
Bob Carter	T	1955	19	4	Green Bay Packers
Willie Davis	DE	1956	15	12	Cleveland Browns
Alvin Richardson	T	1957	26	1	Philadelphia Eagles
Gherig Harris	B	1957	26	11	Chicago Bears
Ronnie Mushatt	OG	1958	19	10	San Francisco 49ers
Jamie Caleb	RB	1959	16	11	Cleveland Browns
Ernie Ladd	DL	1961	4	6	San Diego Chargers
Preston Powell	FB	1961	7	13	Cleveland Browns
Jerry Robinson	HB/KR	1962	11	7	San Diego Chargers
Clifton McNeil	WR	1962	11	11	Cleveland Browns
Junious "Buck" Buchanan	DT	1963	1	1	Kansas City Chiefs
Stone Johnson	WR/DB	1963	14	105	Kansas City Chiefs
Autrey Lane Howell	DT	1963	15	13	New York Giants
Robert Burton	DT	1963	24	191	Houston Oilers
James Griffin	DE	1964	15	1	San Francisco 49ers
John "J.D." Garrett	RB	1964	18	11	Boston Patriots
Alphonse Dotson	DT	1965	1	10	Kansas City Chiefs
Michael Howell	DB	1965	8	13	Cleveland Browns
Willie Williams	DB	1965	8	1	New York Giants
Frank Cornish	DT	1965	11	4	Chicago Bears
Henry Dyer	FB	1966	4	2	Los Angeles Rams
Leroy Carter	HB	1966	6	14	Buffalo Bills
John Gary	DT	1966	6		Houston Oilers
Charles Washington	DB/HB	1966	11	3	Pittsburgh Steelers
Goldie Sellers	DB	1966	20	12	Denver Broncos
Norman Davis	DB	1967	3	1	Baltimore Colts
Julian Gary	DB	1967	4	12	New York Jets
Louis Jackson	DB	1967	5	10	New York Jets
Richard Stebbins	RB	1967	10	2	New York Giants
Robert Atkins Jr.	WR/DB	1968	2	15	St. Louis Cardinals
Wesley Bean	LB	1968	7	27	Cincinnati Bengals
Essex Johnson	DB	1968	6	18	Cincinnati Bengals
Henry Davis	LB	1968	11	15	New York Giants
Harold Jones	DL	1968	12	27	Cincinnati Bengals
Hilton Crawford	DB	1969	9	16	San Francisco 49ers
Charlie Joiner	WR	1969	4	15	Houston Oilers
James "Shack" Harris	QB	1969	8	10	Buffalo Bills
Henry Jones	FB	1969	9	9	Denver Broncos
Edward Watson	LB	1969	9	13	Houston Oilers
Richard Lee	DT	1969	12	6	Boston Patriots
Roger Williams	DB	1969	13	16	Los Angeles Rams
George Muse	LB/DB	1969	17	6	Boston Patriots
Glenn Alexander	KR/DB	1970	3	15	Buffalo Bills
Delles Howell	DB	1970	4	10	New Orleans Saints
Billy Newsome	DE	1970	5	18	Baltimore Colts
Terry Williams	RB	1970	11	5	Buffalo Bills
Samuel Wallace	OG	1970	11	6	Cincinnati Bengals
William O'Neal	RB	1970	11	26	Kansas City Chiefs
Robert Jones	DT	1970	12	7	Philadelphia Eagles
Cliff Gasper	DT	1970	16	10	New Orleans Saints
Walter Breaux	DT	1970	17	13	New York Giants
Richard Harris	DL	1971	1	5	Philadelphia Eagles
Frank Lewis	WR	1971	1	8	Pittsburgh Steelers
Sam Holden	OL	1971	2	5	Kansas City Chiefs
Scott Lewis	DE	1971	2	16	Kansas City Chiefs
Virgil Robinson	HB/KR	1971	2	20	Green Bay Packers
Joseph Carter	TE	1971	4	2	Dallas Cowboys
Willie Armstrong	RB	1971	5	5	Houston Oilers
Coleman Zeno	WR	1971	17	18	New York Giants
John Mendenhall	DT/NG	1972	3	3	New York Giants
Solomon Freelon	OG	1972	3	23	Houston Oilers
Andrew Howard	DT	1972	4	16	Atlanta Falcons
Jack Phillips	WR	1972	11	15	Atlanta Falcons
Lee Fobbs	RB	1973	8	8	Buffalo Bills
Matthew Reed	QB	1973	10	6	Buffalo Bills
Walter Baisey	LB	1973	15	21	Dallas Cowboys
John Billizon	LB	1973	17	14	New York Giants
Charles Battle	LB/DE	1974	5	20	New England Patriots
Ezil Bibbs	DE	1974	8	2	New York Giants
William Bryant	DB	1974	6	23	Cincinnati Bengals
Name	Pos.	Year	Round	Pick	Team

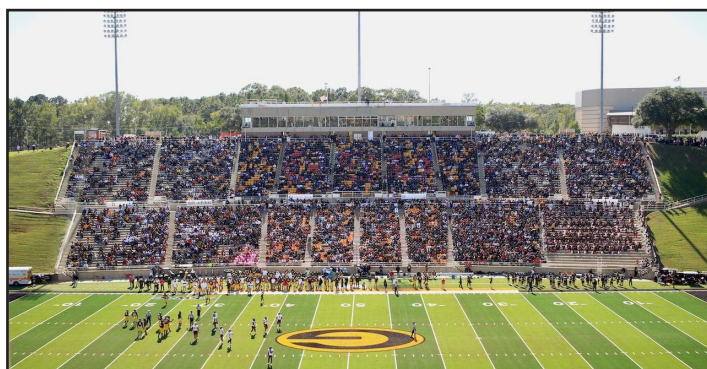
Oliver Alexander	TE	1974	15	4	Chicago Bears
Gary "Big Hands" Johnson	DT	1975	1	8	San Diego Chargers
Robert Barber	DL	1975	2	25	Pittsburgh Steelers
Jessie O'Neal	DE	1975	6	16	Houston Oilers
James Hunter	DB	1976	1	10	Detroit Lions
Sammy White	WR	1976	2	26	Minnesota Vikings
Michael St. Clair	DE	1976	4	7	Cleveland Browns
Ron Singleton	TE/OT	1976	4	21	San Diego Chargers
Dwight Scales	WR	1976	5	31	Los Angeles Rams
Robert Pennywell	LB	1976	6	12	San Francisco 49ers
Bobby Simon	T	1976	8	20	Houston Oilers
Arthur Gilliam	DE	1976	10	13	Denver Broncos
Doug Williams	QB	1978	1	17	Tampa Bay Buccaneers
Carlos Pennywell	WR	1978	3	21	New England Patriots
Robert Woods	WR/KR	1978	5	24	Kansas City Chiefs
Bruce Radford	DE/DB	1979	3	21	Denver Broncos
Charles Johnson	DB	1979	4	19	Atlanta Falcons
Mike Smith	WR	1980	7	7	Atlanta Falcons
Joe Gordon	DB	1980	11	9	Buffalo Bills
Mike Barker	DT	1981	10	2	New York Giants
Robert Parham	FB	1981	10	20	San Diego Chargers
Arthur King	DT	1982	6	27	Cincinnati Bengals
Albert Lewis	DB	1983	3	5	Kansas City Chiefs
Trumaine Johnson	WR	1983	6	1	San Diego Chargers
Rufus Stevens	WR	1984	6	6	Kansas City Chiefs
Leonard Griffin	DE	1986	3	8	Kansas City Chiefs
Sean Smith	DT	1987	4	17	Chicago Bears
Anthony Anderson	DB	1987	10	5	San Diego Chargers
Patrick Scott	WR	1987	11	3	Green Bay Packers
Arthur Wells	TE	1987	11	11	New Orleans Saints
Calvin Nicholas	WR	1987	11	22	San Francisco 49ers
Curtis Maxie	DL	1988	8	2	Cincinnati Bengals
Johnny Carter	DT	1988	12	27	Denver Broncos
Bryan Tobey	FB	1989	8	4	Kansas City Chiefs
Fred Jones	WB	1990	4	15	Kansas City Chiefs
Clemente Gordon	QB	1990	11	20	Cleveland Browns
Willie "Jake" Reed	WR	1991	3	13	Minnesota Vikings
Walter Dean	RB	1991	6	10	Green Bay Packers
Franklin Thomas	TE	1991	7	11	Detroit Lions
Darryl Milburn	DE	1991	9	8	Detroit Lions
Andrew Glover	WR	1991	10	24	Los Angeles Raiders
Nate Singleton	WB	1992	11	12	New York Giants
Herman Arvie	OL	1993	5	12	Cleveland Browns
Stevie Anderson	WR	1993	8	19	Arizona Cardinals
Roderick Mullen	DB	1994	5	19	New York Giants
Curtis Caesar	WR	1994	7	9	New York Jets
Tracy Greene	TE	1994	7	25	Kansas City Chiefs
Scotty Anderson	WR	2001	5	17	Detroit Lions
Kenneth Pettway	LB	2005	7	13	Houston Texans
Jason Hatcher	DE	2006	3	92	Dallas Cowboys
Chad Williams	WR	2017	3	98	Arizona Cardinals

>>>>>>> EDDIE G. ROBINSON MEMORIAL STADIUM



Eddie G. Robinson Memorial Stadium is a 19,600-seat multi-purpose stadium in Grambling, La. The stadium opened in 1983 and is named in honor of famous Grambling State University head football coach, Eddie G. Robinson. It replaced Grambling Stadium. The stadium is oftentimes affectionately referred to as "The Hole" due to the topography of the stadium area.

In 2017, approximately \$2 million worth of stadium upgrades were completed. Included in the upgrades were installing new artificial turf, a new larger scoreboard, additional parking and additional tailgating areas.



>>>>>>> GRAMBLING STATE LEGENDS

EDDIE G. ROBINSON \\\

For legendary Grambling State University football coach Eddie G. Robinson, football was always the driving force motivating one of the most successful men to ever have set foot on a football field.

Coach Robinson spent 57 seasons consistently fielding stellar football teams and guiding his young charges to successful lives both on and off the gridiron. He earned an unprecedented 408 college football victories to set the NCAA's benchmark for wins in Division I. Coach Robinson retired with an overall record of 408 wins, 165 losses and 15 ties. More than 200 of his players went on to play in the National Football League, including Super Bowl XXII MVP quarterback Doug Williams, who would ultimately succeed Robinson as Grambling's head coach in 1998.

Though the ultra-successful Coach Robinson has always remained humble, crediting his players, his family, his loving wife Doris, the media and football fans from all over the world with making the name Eddie Robinson synonymous with the best that college football has to offer.

On October 7, 1995, Coach Robinson became the first college football coach to break the 400-win barrier, a mark once thought to be unreachable. The 42-6 triumph over Mississippi Valley State came before a national television audience on ESPN2.

"Nobody has ever done or will do what Eddie Robinson has done for this game," legendary Penn State football coach Joe Paterno said. "Our profession will never, ever be able to repay Eddie Robinson for what he has done for this country and the profession of football."

Time after time Coach Robinson proved that hard work, dedication and determination could lead to unimaginable accomplishments.

Neither of Coach Robinson's parents graduated from high school, but they encouraged their son's desire to stay in school and earn a college degree. A young Robinson moved on



THE ROBINSON FILE

PERSONAL

Name: Eddie G. Robinson

Birthdate: February 13, 1919

Died: April 3, 2007

Birthplace: Jackson, Louisiana

Alma Mater: Leland College, 1941 (Bachelor of Fine Arts in Physical Education)

University of Iowa, 1957 (Master of Arts in Physical Education)

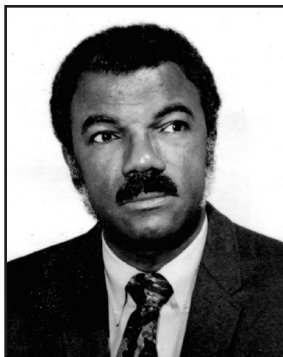
ROBINSON'S RUNDOWN

1966	Elected President of the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics Named by the Football Writers Association as "The Coach Who Made the Biggest Contribution to College Football in the Past 25 years"
1967	Elected President of the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics
1972	Named to the Executive Committee of National Athletic Directors Association
1975	Elected Vice-President of the American Football Coaches Association
1976	Inducted into the NAIA Hall of Fame Elected President of the American Football Coaches Association Became one of the first collegiate coaches to take a team outside of the Continental United States to play in Japan
1977	Served as head coach in the East-West Shrine All-Star Game
1979	Inducted into the Pop Warner and Sugar Bowl Halls of Fame
1982	Received the "Distinguished American" Commendation Citation from the Walter Camp Foundation at Yale University Recipient of the "Morris Frank" Touchdown Award Recipient of the "American Service Award" by the Liberty Bowl
1983	Recipient of the "Whitney J. Young Memorial Award" by the New York Urban League Inducted into the Louisiana Sports Hall of Fame Awarded an honorary Doctor of Laws degree by Louisiana Tech University New football stadium at Grambling State University was named Robinson Stadium in honor of the Robinson family
1984	Served as head coach of SWAC seniors in the inaugural Freedom Bowl All-Star Classic in Atlanta, Ga.
1985	Recipient of the Gold Helmet "Paul 'Bear' Bryant Award" Recipient of the Dallas All Sports Association's "Distinguished Award" Recipient of the "Silver Buffalo Award" by the National Boy Scouts of America Recipient of the "Academy Award" by the United Sports Academy Recipient of Amos Alonzo Stagg Memorial Award Recipient of the "Paul Roberson Award" by the Sheridan Broadcasting Network South 13th Street in Baton Rouge, Louisiana was renamed Eddie Robinson Sr. Drive to honor Coach Robinson
1988	Recipient of the B'nai B'rith International "Molder of Champions" Award Recipient of the Independence Bowl's "Omar Bradley Spirit of Excellence Award" Recipient of the Horatio Alger Award Recipient of the Indiana Youthlinks "Pathfinder Award"1987 Recipient of the National Veteran of Foreign Wars "Hall of Fame Award"1986 Presented a Special Commendation by the NCAA for the most wins in collegiate football history
1989	Recipient of the Henry Frank Award of Excellence
1990	Recipient of the Disney Pigskin Classic's "Heritage Award" Recipient of the Circle City Classic's "Major Taylor Award" Inducted into the National Association for Sports and Physical Education Hall of Fame
1991	Recipient of the "Francis J. 'Reds' Bagnell Award by the Maxwell Club
1992	Recipient of the Buffalo Soldier Award National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame "Outstanding Contribution to Amateur Football" Award Inducted into the SWAC Hall of Fame
1993	Recipient of the Bobby Dodd Coach of the Year Award
1994	SWAC Coach of the Year; Casey Award Winner
1995	Was inducted into the Blue-Gray Football Classic's Hall of Fame Awarded the "Jackie Robinson Sports Award" by the NAACP Image Awards; Casey Award Winner
1997	Was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame Awarded Honorary Doctor of Humane Letters Deegree by Yale University

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COLLIE J. NICHOLSON \\\

Sports Information Director Legend (1948-1978)



It was a simple twist of fate just after World War II, a lack of communication never connected.

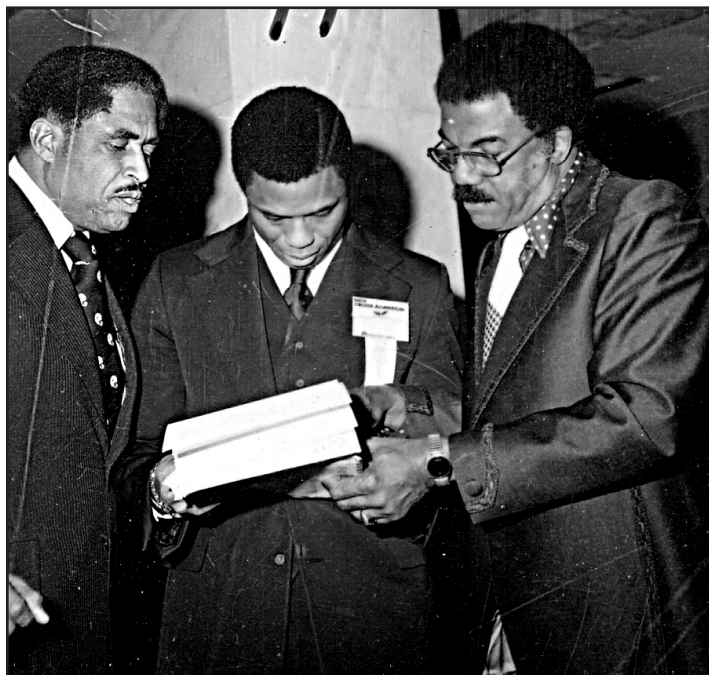
The end result, however, was the building of an award-winning career in sports information that spanned 30 years and played an immeasurable role in developing the world-wide reputation of one of America's best known black colleges, Grambling State University.

Collie J. Nicholson was fresh out of the Marines finishing a three-year stint in the South Pacific during World War II when he and a friend made a stop at Grambling State. They were really on their way north to the University of Wisconsin, but it was years before anyone at Grambling knew the story.

Nicholson, who had started school at Grambling before the war, ran into the school's president, Ralph Waldo Emerson Jones, during his brief stopover. Having known Collie when he first attended Grambling, "Prez," as he was affectionately known, invited him to his office to discuss some ideas for the young journalist.

Not wanting to tell Prez he was actually on his way to another school, Collie went to the bus stop, grabbed his bags and headed to the dorm. More than 30 years later, in 1978, Collie J. Nicholson retired as the school's only sports information director and more than that, one of the profession's most creative members.

In the summer of 2002, nearly 25 years after retiring, Nicholson was named the recipient of the prestigious College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA) Trailblazer Award. This award is given annually to a pioneer in the field of sports information who has mentored and helped improve the level of ethnic and gender diversity within



CoSIDA Nicholson was honored at the organization's annual workshop on July 2, 2002, in Rochester, New York.

What Collie accomplished was to put Grambling on the map around the world. When he started his job Collie convinced Prez all he really needed were stamps, envelope and stationery, plus a trusty typewriter.

He began by sending advances to 400 black newspapers nationwide. After football games, he would drive 75 miles to Shreveport Western Union Station, where he would wire the stories to selected newspapers across the country. Collie's reports made every game, regardless of the outcome, sound exciting. Through his creative writing style, more and more papers ran accounts of Grambling's games.

But Nicholson with the support of President Jones and Eddie G. Robinson, envisioned a much bigger picture, and he rarely accepted a no when it came to developing ideas that would further spread the word about Grambling athletics.

In the 1960's he pounded the pavement of New York City, looking for sponsors who would help stage a football game in Yankee Stadium, pitting Grambling against another team from a black college. It wasn't easy, but Collie with his "never quit" efforts found the sponsors and in 1968 Grambling and Morgan State played before 64,000 fans in a packed-to-the-brim Yankee Stadium.

Television was another target Collie set in his sights. Some might say he hounded the national networks, but whatever he did, it worked. ABC signed on and televised its first football game between the two black colleges.

Collie also believed Grambling could take its football team and well-known marching band on the road to capture attention. Over the years and through his persistence, Grambling broke ground with appearances in huge venues like Pittsburgh's Three Rivers Stadium, Detroit Silverdome and the Louisiana (New Orleans) Superdome.

The new traditional Bayou Classic was also a product of Collie's efforts. In 1974, he convinced officials at both Grambling and Southern University that they could create something special by moving their annual game to New Orleans. Before long, the classic was born, and the game was played before capacity crowds.

Nicholson also took great pride in the Tiger Marching Band. He considered the band and the athletic teams as a marriage and promoted them as one package. It was Nicholson who garnered exposure for the band in three Super Bowl games and a 14-day tour to Liberia. He also arranged for Grambling State football games to be played in Tokyo, Japan, in 1976 and 1977 with part of the draw the now well-known Tiger Marching Band. While building support for the Tokyo package in the mid-1970's, Collie learned Japanese so he would not embarrass himself, the school or his hosts in Japan.

It is Nicholson's efforts that helped the Los Angeles Rams discover Paul "Tank" Younger, the first player from a black college to make it in the National Football League. He launched the Heisman and All-America campaign for Doug Williams when he finished fourth in the Heisman race and was a first team All-America selection by the A.P. — which was a first for any athlete from a black school.

When Collie was not knocking on doors, he was producing unique and award-winning press guides, with recognition from the NCAA, NAIA and CoSIDA. Two of his publications were voted best in the nation. He also served for several years as the sports information director of the Southwestern Athletic Conference.

Nicholson is a member of the Grambling State University Hall of Fame and following his career was recognized with numerous awards, including the Distinguished Service Award in Sports Journalism by the Louisiana Sports Writers Association in 1990.

Nicholson, 85, died peacefully in Shreveport, Louisiana on September 13, 2006.

AL DENNIS III \\\\\\\

Dennis the Menance (GSU: 1948-1978)



Albert Dennis III was born June 24, 1951, at Independence in south Louisiana and honed his skills as an larrupin' lineman at Greenville Park High School in Hammond.

"His daddy was a tackle, too, and was captain of the team with 'Tank' Younger," recalls Eddie Robinson. "We were in a hot battle with Tulane trying to get young Albert but we hung on and signed him. His daddy was upset over publicity. He said we were making Albert an All-American and he had not played one down."

There were photos in the newspapers on the signing, and the press. His daddy said he had never gotten that kind of recognition.

Like his father, Albert as a senior would captain the Tigers and would also be named a second team All-American by the Pittsburgh Courier. And this was not just a "Fat Albert." He was solid and tough, big and quick. He came on like gangbusters after a leg injury sidetracked his sophomore campaign, crashing onto the All-SWAC team as a junior.

Albert was easily recognizable with a “curious straddling gait,” and he was conscientious when it came to protecting quarterback Matt Reed. Eager to learn and easy to teach, Albert was a devastating tackle on a 1972 club that won 10 of 12 game including a 56-6 walloping of North Carolina Central in the Pecan Bowl.

The Tigers of 1972 were overloaded with standout lineman. On offense there were Willie Robinson, Andrew Jackson, Bobby Simon and Dennis. On defense the front four included Robert Barber, Gary Johnson, Jesse O'Neal and Sylvester Bates.

Dennis was also sharp in the classroom, an honor student who earned his degree in marketing. Paired down to 250 pounds, with an eye on playing guard in the NFL, Albert hooked on with the Cowboys as a free agent in 1973, but before he could pack his bags for Dallas he was waived and claimed by San Diego. He played in seven games for the Chargers and caught the eyes of line coach Forrest Gregg. When Forrest joined Cleveland

the following season, young Dennis was given a brief trial in September. When Gregg took over as head coach of the Browns in 1975, he remembered Al, who would see guard service in 1976 and 1977.

Albert Jr., in the meantime, would have to content himself with recognition as an outstanding high school coach in New Orleans and at BTW and Green Oaks High School in Shreveport.

In November of 2000 Dennis was appointed director of athletics at Grambling State University after serving a 10 month stint as the interim AD. Dennis, a veteran of the Grambling athletic department for over 25 years, brought an extensive background and keen sense and knowledge of the Grambling athletic program, having served as business services manager, athletic coordinator and auxiliary/athletic accountant.

He received his bachelor's degree in business administration from Grambling in 1972 and a master's in sports administration in 1982. Dennis is a member of several organizations, including the College Athletic Business Management Association, the Louisiana Athletic Business Management Association and Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc.

Dennis is married to the former Sarah Dangerfield and is the proud father of three GSU graduates, Swanie (1995), Kadar (2002, 2004) and Blythe (2011).



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JUNIOUS “BUCK” BUCHANAN |||||

“The Buck” stops here (GSU: 1959-1962)



Junious “Buck” Buchanan. That says it all. “Our first, first round draft choice,” reminds Eddie Robinson.

For thirteen years he was an awesome defensive tackle for the Kansas City Chiefs. But, it was not Kansas City that made Buck the first ever player chosen in the inaugural American Football League Draft in 1963.

That honor went to Oakland; the Raiders subsequently transferring their claim on Buck to the Chiefs. He was the first player from Grambling State to have ever been selected in the first round of the NFL Draft.

With that generally-ignored fact disposed of, turn your attention to now one of the greatest defensive linemen who ever tightened a chin strap. He came in at 6-foot-6 and 225 pounds as a freshman, class of ‘59 at Grambling. He went out a 6-foot-7 and 275-pound behemoth as a 13-year Chief in 1975.

In between, he demolished everything in sight and climbed the peak of his profession in two Super Bowls. “Someone called me one night,” remembers Eddie of his introduction to Buchanan, who was born September 10, 1940 in Gainesville, Ala., but would play his prep ball at Parker High School in Birmingham. “The man said, ‘There is a football player here you need.’ I said, ‘Who?’ He said, Junious Buchanan.”

Arrangements were made for Buchanan to enroll at Grambling in mid-semester. “He came in and weighed 210 pounds,” fondly recalls Robinson. “Ernie Ladd was coming off of a knee injury. Ladd, before Buck got here, was our fastest interior lineman. When Buck got here, he and Ladd would be fighting to the tape.

“But to be honest, I didn’t think Buck would be much of a ball player because he had his foot in a bucket. It didn’t look like he could move with lateral movement. Then we would start running our plays. If we went to the right he would tackle us. If we went to the left he would tackle us. If we went right at him, he would tackle us. . . Boy, he was really



tough.”

Buchanan checked in at Grambling with a skilled freshman group that included the ill-fated Stone Johnson, Lane Howell, Fred Collins, Bob Burton, Willie Brown, Charles Cook and colorful Willie “Special Touchdown” Houston. Older backfield star Jamie Caleb, fullback Preston Powell, punter Curtis Cotton and the ponderous Ladd. There also a half-dozen scintillating sophomores—Clifton McNeil, Jerry Robinson, Roosevelt Taylor, Garland Boyette, Leon Simmons and Eugene Hughes.

It was, for the most part, a young ball club in the making. After struggling through a 4-6 season in 1959, the Tigers took off on the turn into the ‘60s. They posted a 23-5-2 record during Buck’s three seasons through 1962. Buck was named an All-American all three seasons, was elected team captain and in 1961 was voted lineman of the year in the Southwestern Athletic Conference (SWAC). That same year, he was named to the SWAC All-Academic team for maintaining a 3.20 grade point averagewhile majoring in physical education.

Also while at Grambling State, Buck participated in both basketball and track and field as a member of the sprint relay teams in addition to playing football. In 1968, he was inducted into the NAIA Hall of Fame.

He was just starting to make waves. After playing for the 1963 College All-Star squad that upset Green Bay’s mighty Packers, he joined the Chiefs. It was Buchanan who cemented the tremendous defenses fashioned by Coach Hank Stram. Up front, Buck would battle ferociously for a decade alongside Jerry Mays, Paul Rochester, Aaron Brown, Curley Culp and for brief stretches Grambling teammates Al Dotson and Ernie Ladd. Behind them roamed linebackers Bobby Bell, Willie Lanier, “Beast” Holub and Jim Lynch. Further back would lurk Dave Grayson, Willie Mitchell, Johnny Robinson, Fred “The Hammer” Williamson, Emmitt Thomas, Jime Marsalis, Jim Kearney and Grambling ex Goldie Sellers. Right there in the middle of it all was team captain Buck Buchanan. Among his feats:

-Played in the first AFC-NFC Pro Bowl game in 1970, also the first Pro Bowl of 1971.

- Voted the Chiefs’ Most Valuable Player in 1965 in 1967.
- Named to All-AFL teams in 1967 through 1969 and the All-NFC squad in 1970.
- Played in six straight AFL All-Star games from 1964 through 1969.
- Played in AFL Championship games in 1966 and 1969, followed by Super Bowls I and IV.

Those were just samplings. It was worth noting that Buck also played in all but one of 182 regular season games scheduled by the Chiefs. He missed his first game in 1974 with a broken hand. Despite the injury, he played in 13 of the team’s 14 games.

Away from the playing fields, Buck was active in civic affairs, serving as director of the Kansas State Special Olympics for mentally and physically retarded children in 1972 through 1975.

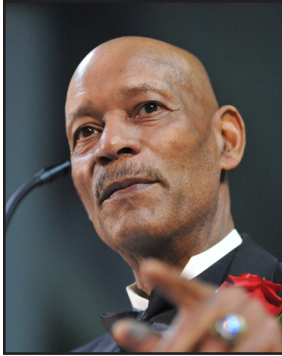
After peeling off his pads a final time, Buck hooked on as an assistant coach with the New Orleans Saints. Buck had finally stopped here in Louisiana. He was officially inducted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame in 1990. He passed away on July 16, 1992, after a long battle against lung cancer.

Buchanan was inducted into the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame on August 17, 1996. He was also inducted into the American Football League, Louisiana Sports and Southwestern Athletic Conference Hall of Fame.

The Sports Network national news service named its national NCAA Division I-AA Defensive Player of the Year award in his honor.

WILLIE BROWN \\\

He was no 'Assassin' (GSU:1959-62)



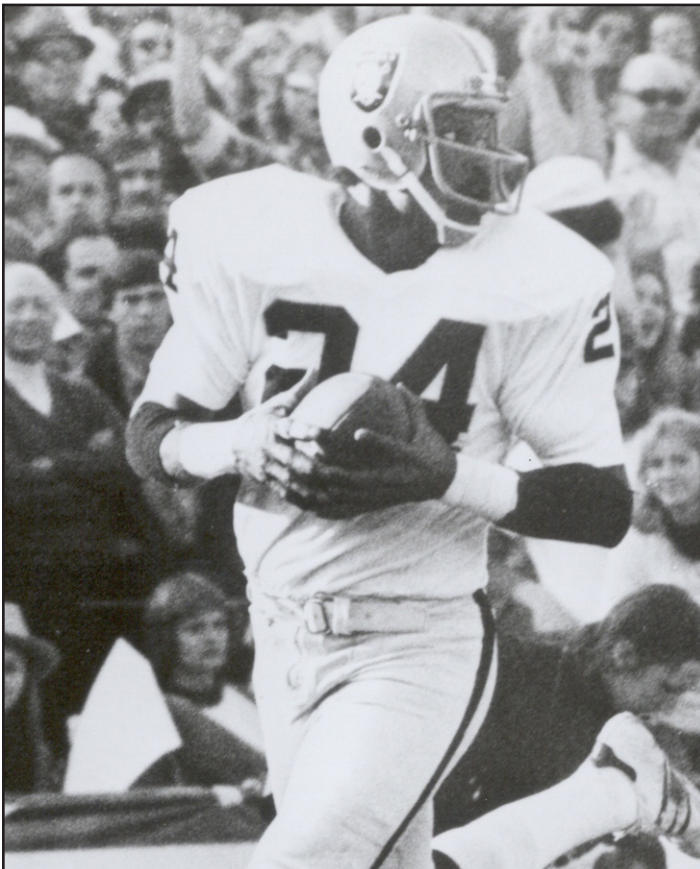
Yazoo City, Mississippi, is probably best know in these parts for three native sons. . . country philosopher Jerry Clower, positive thinker Zig Zigler and football cornerback William Freddie Brown.

Willie Brown played 16 years in the American and National Football Leagues and picked off a record 54 interceptions. He was the only player in NFL history to intercept at least one pass in 16 consecutive seasons, which puts him three years up on the nearest challengers Emlen Tunnell, Dick "Night Train" Lane, Larry Wilson and Jimmy Johnson.

That, in itself, is very select company in the NFL. Beyond that, Willie also played a dozen seasons in an Oakland defensive backfield with two of the most ferocious headhunters in the business — George Atkinson and Jack Tatum.

It was Tatum who wrote the book, "They Call Me Assassin."

Brown was never an "assassin" all those years he dressed out as one of the guys who wore black with the Raiders. Willie would hit you hard enough, but his forte was finesse. Steal the ball and run. Twice he scored touchdowns on interception returns in playoff games against Miami in 1970 and Pittsburgh in 1973. However, the play that he is most recognized for was the 75-yard interception that he returned for a touchdown in the Raid-



ers' 32-14 victory over the Minnesota Vikings in Super Bowl XI in 1977.

Willie did not even look malicious. He looked like a guy who you would vote for as senior class president, which he was at Grambling.

"Tom Williams recruited Willie Brown," recalls Eddie Robinson. "He went into Mississippi and got him over some other schools. From the very beginning, Willie was just a clean-cut athlete, extremely fast. We played him as an end. He was one of the guys with great ability. It was not real important where we put him. He could have been a great running back, or a great tight end, because he was an exceptional blocker. And he had character."

Solidly built at 6-foot-1 and 210 pounds, Willie was spotted at split end “because he was beating everybody on the deep passes with his speed” and he played outside linebacker on defense. He was a Tiger from 1959 through 1962, won four letters and picked up another two block G’s with the track team. In the classroom, he earned a degree in health and physical education.

Willie could run with the best in his day, but hardly anyone noticed because his college career paralleled those of Olympian sprinter Stone Johnson and "Gray Ghost" Jerry Robinson. The team's tailback Don Stephenson, once returned a kickoff 100 yards for a touchdown in Shreveport.

"On that particular team, almost the whole defensive group got into pro football," reminds Robinson. "(Ernie) Ladd, (Buck) Buchanan, Lane Howell, Simmons, Boyette, Wilson, (Goldie) Sellers and Rosey Taylor."

It was easy to see why Willie got lost in the crowd. And it explains why the Houston Oilers landed him as a free agent in 1963.

But he was cut loose by the Oilers — we all make mistakes — and picked up by Denver during that same August. Willie played four seasons with the Broncos, intercepting nine passes as a professional sophomore in 1964 and holding a school reunion in 1966 when he was joined in the Denver secondary by old mates Goldie Sellers and Nemiah Wilson. That may have been Grambling's finest hour for producing defensive backs, three regulars on the same pro club. The old gang was broken up a month after the season ended, however. Willie and Louisiana Tech quarterback Mickey Slaughter were traded to Oakland. It was a start of a lasting relationship. Willie, born December 2, 1940, was 26 years old when he joined the "pride and poise" Raiders. When he hung up his tack, he was 38.

Using guile, a dash of speed and a bushel of experience, Willie in 12 seasons with the Raiders intercepted a total of 39 passes, which is a club record. One year, he helped the Raiders to set an all-time theft record at 35. He played in five AFL All-Star games and four NFL Pro Bowls. He captained the Raiders on defense and in 1969, won the Gorman Award as the "player who best exemplifies the pride and spirit of the Oakland Raiders." He still shares an NFL record with four interceptions in one game November 15, 1964 against the New York Jets.

Willie Brown was a winner all the way. Eight years in postseason championship play-offs including Super Bowl II.

"He was just a real good football player," says Eddie Robinson.

Brown was officially inducted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame in 1984. In addition, he was honored as one of the Best Black College Athletes of All-Time by Family Digest magazine in July of 2004. He is also a member of the American Football League, Louisiana Sports, Grambling State, SWAC and Mississippi Sports Hall of Fame.

>>>>>>>> GRAMBLING STATE LEGENDS

WILLIE DAVIS |||

The Means to an End (GSU:1952-55)



Was there ever a more awesome sight on the playing fields of the NFL than the sweeping strength thrown into battle by the Green Bay Packers of the 1960's?

The legions drummed together by Vince Lombardi six times barreled into the league's championship game during the decade and five times emerged triumphant, including a string of three in a row from 1965-67.

Ten years later there would come another dynasty, forged by the Pittsburgh Steelers. The Steelers would hit with the big play. The Packers would hurt you for sixty minutes. Little finesse, more like brute strength. Bart Starr operated with surgical precision, handing the ball off to Jim Taylor and Paul Hornung behind pulverizing blocks laid down by Jerry Kramer, Fuzzy Thurston, Forrest Gregg and Bill Curry.

And the defense. In the 14-game season of 1966, the Packers gave up 163 points, less than twelve a game. Nobody ran through much daylight against the likes of Ray Nitschke, Lee Roy Caffey, Dave Robinson, Herb Adderly, Herb Adderley, Willie Wood and Willie Delford Davis.

A legendary football game, and Willie Davis was right there in the middle. Actually, Willie hung around the fringes. He played end, a gentle giant at 6-foot-3 and 245 pounds. Gentle, that is, until he strapped on his helmet.

Willie was a classic performer as a defensive lineman, probably the best he has ever seen, says Eddie Robinson. Born in Lisbon, Arkansas on July 24, 1934, he prepped at Booker T. Washington High School in Texarkana.

"We finally convinced his Mama," Robinson recalls of the recruiting. "We promised her that we would see that he got to Sunday school and church. When we told her that, he didn't have a chance."

Young Davis may have been genteel on the Sabbath, but he was less than gentle on Saturdays.

"At first, while he was here," remembers Robinson, "he wanted to play end. He weighed around 210, 215. But we changed him to guard. That was in 1952."

As a guard, Willie was a two-time black college All-American in 1954-55. With him

in the lineup in 1955, Grambling would win its first national championship (eleven more would follow through to the present day).

The 1955 season was culminated by a trip to the Orange Blossom Classic.

"We were invited to Tallahassee to play Florida A&M University," reflects Robinson. "They were outstanding with Willie Galimore and Adolphus Frazier. Each of them scored 16 touchdowns that year. They were really tough."

The Rattlers also fielded an All-American guard, Carl Crowell.

Grambling was no slouch, either, having gone unbeaten through nine games without breaking a sweat.

"We had Bo Murray," agrees Robinson. "On the first play of the game Bo went back to throw a pass and he faked a run to fullback Leon Gafford. This tackle from Florida broke it up. He said after the tackle, 'I'm up for All-America, so don't come this way again.' On the next play, Murray called a trap. Willie came from the opposite side and he really trapped this boy. When Willie got up, he said 'You're up for All-American? I can see why you're not going to make it.' Willie had hitting power. And he was our captain, an outstanding leader."

Grambling turned back FAMU by 28-21. More important for Willie, scouts who had been dispatched by the Cleveland Browns to analyze Galimore went back home singing the praises of Davis. The Browns had an inside track. Ruston's Dub Jones, who had been a great running back for Cleveland, once scoring six touchdowns in a single game, had begun working with Willie on the blocking sled.

"And Tank Younger in Los Angeles was predicting that Davis was going to be a player," reminds Robinson.

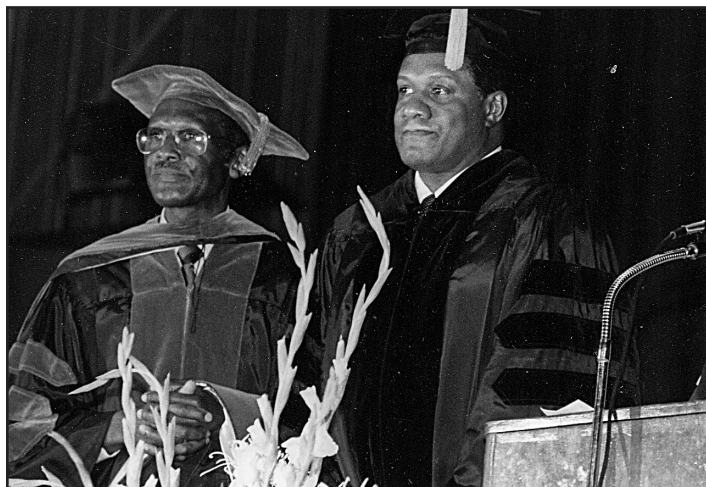
The Browns, encouraged by their Orange Blossom eyewitnesses and Dub Jones' recommendation, drafted Willie in the 15th round of the 1956 draft, thus making him the first ever player in Grambling history to have ever been drafted. It does not sound like a high ranking now, but this was less than seven years after Younger had become the first black college player to join an NFL team. Before joining the Browns, however, Willie had more pressing business; he picked up his bachelor of science degree in industrial arts in the spring of 1956, then fulfilled a military obligation over a two-year stretch. By 1958 he was free to sign with the Browns.

Cleveland, like Green Bay in later years, was then a powerhouse under coach Paul Brown. Try Jim Brown for starters, and add Bobby Mitchell and Lou Groza. Thrown into a defensive line company with the likes of Paul Wiggins, Bob Gain, Don Colo and Henry Jordan, rookie Davis played in all 24 games over two seasons before being traded to the Packers for end A.D. Williams in 1960.

He would spend ten seasons in Green Bay before his retirement at age 36. Davis never missed a kickoff in his dozen years as a professional player in 286 games including 262 as a Packer. Three times he was tabbed as a Western Conference All-Star, during the glory years from 1965 through 1967. He would play in no less than five Pro Bowls. He was there when Green Bay whipped Kansas City 35-10 in the first Super Bowl, and when the Packers routed Oakland 33-14 in Super Bowl II. He was on the premises, too, when the Packers outskidded Dallas 21-17 in the 1967 Ice Bowl at Green Bay. Willie also captained the Packers.

There were not many places Willie Davis could not go, if he had a mind to. And he had a mind. He received his master's degree in business administration in 1968 from the University of Chicago and is now a successful businessman in Los Angeles, California.

Davis was officially inducted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame in 1981.



CHARLIE JOINER \\\

On and On and On, Etc. (GSU:1968-69)



Charles Joiner Jr. was once described as the quintessential professional.

"From the way he conducts himself in each practice each day to the manner in which he runs his precise pass patterns," explained the front office people in San Diego, a western bastion of the National Football League. The Chargers' owner, Eugene Klein, and this is according to the gospel as preached by Eddie Robinson, "thinks the sun rises and sets on Charlie Joiner."

Sufficient reason exists for the affection. Since joining the Chargers in April of 1976—an even swap for defensive lineman Coy Bacon bringing him from Cincinnati—Charlie has grabbed 190 passes as a favorite companion of quarterback Dan Fouts. Net worth of same, 3,213 yards spread over four seasons. It means, too, that Charlie has been good for 17 yards a pop every time he gets his sensitive hands on the football.

There is an added dimension, in that Charlie's best season as a wide receiver with the Chargers came in 1979 when he caught 72 passes for 1,008 yards in the wide-open aerial bombardment navigated by Fouts. Charlie at the time was 32 going on 33, and we are not talking about his uniform number.

Charlie for the record, turned 33 on October 14, 1980, and there he was still running those “precise patterns” and eluding defensive backs in San Diego. He knew all the steps, having gone about this business for 12 years since coming off the dusty drillfields at Grambling.

"Charlie goes all out," says an admiring Robinson. "He spends a lot of time with young receivers, too. He has a lot of class."

Joiner, born in Many, LA, turned up at Grambling after impressing his prep coach, Wiley Stewart, at W.O. Boston High School in Lake Charles.



"Stewart once told us Charlie was a good receiver and he could play," Robinson recalls. "He teamed here with James Harris. There it was, touchdown after touchdown."

"Charlie, had some of Dub Jones' influence, too. Dub told me one day that Charlie Joiner ran some of the finest patterns he'd ever seen. Beating the man, that's where he excelled."

Charlie, not overly large at 5-foot-11 and 188 pounds, but blessed with 4.4 speed over 40 yards, learned his trade from the very best while at Grambling. He ran his patterns in summer workouts against Willie Brown, then an established cornerback with Oakland, and he was lectured on offensive strategy by both Dub Jones and Clifton McNeil, at the time an all-league receiver with San Francisco.

This football education coincided with the arrival at Grambling of a 200-pound quarterback out of Monroe, the man called James Harris. Harris between 1965 and 1968, would deliver 289 pass completions for 4,705 yards and 53 touchdowns. And Joiner caught his share—78 receptions—along with Bob Atkins, Frank Lewis, Essex Johnson and big tight end Terry Williams.

The Tigers went 23-6-1 in three years with Harris throwing downfield to Joiner and others. An All-Southwestern Athletic Conference finish as a senior drew the interest of Houston, and the Oilers made Charlie a fourth round choice in the combined AFL-NFL Draft of 1969. Joiner as a rookie impressed the Oilers with "fluid moves, excellent hands and the ability to make the tough catch in the crowd," but a broken arm derailed him for most of the 1969 season and part of 1970.

Once healed, he led the Oilers with seven touchdowns and 681 receiving yards in 1971.

"Just a matter of time before he reaches stardom," predicted the Oilers.

Patience, however, was not to be an Oiler virtue, and Charlie, along with linebacker Ron Pritchard, was dispatched to Cincinnati six games into the 1972 season in exchange for running backs Fred Willis and Paul Robinson.

Reunited with Essex Johnson and deployed with standout receiver Isaac Curtis, Joiner would be an integral part of the Bengals' attack arsenal for three years, catching 37 passes for 726 yards in 1975. His first season in San Diego, 1976, he hauled in 50 throws for 1,056 yards—better than 20 yards per catch—and played in the Pro Bowl.

Not bad for a 29-year old gaffer who was back on the same side with old buddy James Harris.

In eleven seasons, Charlie had chalked off 6,156 yards and 38 touchdowns on the payoff end of 354 long shots lobbed behind some of the best deepbacks in the league. And he will keep on catching them because he is good at it. It is something he likes to do. He does not have to do this for a living; he earned his degree in accounting in 1969 and is a ten-year man with Gulf Oil in Houston. Joiner is currently working as the receivers coach with the Kansas City Chiefs.

But quitting in mid-stride, that is not Charlie Joiner. He finished his pro career by catching 750 passes for 12,146 yards and 65 touchdowns while averaging 16.2 yards per catch. He also had 50 or more receptions in seven years and 70 or more catches for three of those seasons.

Charlie Joiner was officially inducted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame in July 1996.

>>>>>>>> GRAMBLING STATE LEGENDS

SAMMY WHITE |||||

In the North, A Star (GSU:1972-75)



You could call him Sammie. Or you could call him Sammy. Whatever. But make no mistake about the last name-White.

"Frank Lewis and Sammie White had so much in common," submits Eddie Robinson. "Either one could take a screen pass...and score."

Sammie, from 1972 through 1975, scored 43 touchdowns, one more than Frank. Sammie also caught 26 career touchdown passes, eight more than Frank. Where Lewis' name used to be in the record books, it has been replaced by White.

Sammie's tenure at Grambling spanned three quarterbacks - Matt Reed, Joe Comeaux and Doug Williams - and with this arsenal of firepower the Tigers forgot how to lose. They went 10-2 in 1972 and whipped North Carolina Central, 56-6, in the Pelican Bowl; finished 10-3 in 1973 while dumping Delaware, 17-8 in the Boardwalk Bowl; closed at 11-1 in 1974 while routing South Carolina State, 28-7, in the Pelican Bowl; and rumbled to a 10-1 record in 1975. Grand total in wins and losses: 41-7.

One of the 1973 losses came in the NCAA playoff, a 28-20 heartbreaker against Western Kentucky in the Grantland Rice Bowl.

Born March 16, 1954, in Winnsboro, Sammie prepped at Richwood High School in Monroe.

"We watched him all the way," says Robinson. "We knew what he could do. He was almost unbelievable in high school..."

Not as unbelievable as he would become at Grambling. Sammie had deceptive speed his time for the 40-yard dash was 4.6 - but beyond that he had exceptional moves and reflexes.

"His first year he took over at wingback in his fourth game," remembers Robinson. "He was a climax runner and could make the big play."



Sammie was compactly constructed at 5-foot-11 and 189 pounds. Three times he was voted All-SWAC; twice he was named an NCAA Division II All-American. He caught 100 passes as a collegian, a school record matched only by Michael Moore, who would benefit as Doug Williams recipient through 1977.

"Sammie, too, was a fine person," Robinson adds. "He could come into a room and if you didn't ask him, you wouldn't know who he was."

The Minnesota Vikings knew who Sammie White was after his senior season of 1975. He rushed the ball 63 times for 479 yards, caught 37 passes for 802 yards and scored 17 touchdowns, 12 on receptions. In four years he contributed 3,287 yards to Grambling's attack. He had gained 2,169 of those yards on pass catches, a school record. The Vikings made Sammie their second round drafts pick in 1976.

Sammie, with good hands and quick feet, joined the Vikings fresh from the College All-Star game in Chicago. In the four years since, coming into this season, he would catch 187 passes for 3,122 yards. What is remarkable about his performance in the NFL is the reminder that the Vikings have long regarded a dump pass out of the backfield as a significant achievement. Yet he averaged better than 15 yards per catch, holds a club record with touchdown catches in four consecutive games, had caught at least one pass in sixty straight games, and in 1977 hauled in a 69-yard bomb from Tommy Kramer against San Francisco.

As a rookie with the Vikings, White started every game scoring 10 touchdowns and set a team rookie receiving yards record with 906 yards, which stood until it was broken by former Minnesota wideout Randy Moss in 1998. He also held team records for both touchdowns and yards in a game by a rookie which were both broken by Moss in the same year. He was named the NFL Offensive and NFC Rookie of the year in 1976 and has appeared in three Pro Bowls. Although the Viking was humbled by Oakland, 32-14, in Super Bowl XI, White scored one of the losers' two touchdowns on an 8-yard third period pass from Fran Tarkenton.

Following a career with the Vikings, White coached at Carroll High School in Monroe, LA before returning to Grambling where he has enjoyed a stint as an offensive coach with the Tigers. During this tenure on the coaching staff, he has helped the Tigers earn four National Black College and SWAC Championship titles. During those runs, GSU's offense twice led the nation in passing offense, scoring offense and ranked in the top on several occasions in other categories.

White, a member of the Vikings 25th Anniversary team, is married to the former Penny Fortner and they have two children: Sammy III and Samantha and two grandchildren: Lauren and Taylor.

DOUG WILLIAMS \\\\\\\

From All-American Quarterback to Head Coach to NFL Executive



History was made in December of 1997 when Doug Williams returned to his alma mater to take over for retired legend Eddie Robinson as the first new head coach at Grambling for more than 50 years. Williams finished six seasons as the “Head Tiger” leading the team to three straight NCAA Division I-AA National Black College and SWAC Championships before leaving the university in February 2004 to take on a new role as a Personnel Executive with the Tampa Bay Buccaneers.

A natural for the positon, having been the most prolific quarterback in Grambling State's history combined with an outstanding professional career, Williams brought several intangibles to the football program, including his vast football knowledge built on a wealth of experience and a love for Grambling that is unmatched by anyone, anywhere.

Williams' impact on the football program was immediate as the Tigers went from a 3-8 record in 1997 to a 5-6 mark in his first season in 1998. His second season saw even more success as the Tigers finished with a 7-4 mark. Williams' third season proved to be the charm with a 10-2 mark en route to their first SWAC title since sharing it with Alcorn State in 1994 and the first outright title since 1989.

The Tigers were also named the 2000 National Champions in the NCAA Division I Black College Football Poll.

In 2001, Williams proved that the previous year's success was no fluke as he guided the Tigers to a 10-1 mark en route to both undisputed SWAC and National Black College championships.

In 2002, Williams completed the hat trick by leading GSU to its third straight SWAC and National Black College championships with an 11-2 record. At the conclusion of each of those three seasons, the Tigers finished in the top ten in several national polls.

Also during this stretch, Williams brought home some serious Coach of the Year hard-



were such as the SWAC; 100-percent Wrong Club of Atlanta and the Pigskin Club of Washington, D.C. SWAC Coach of the Year awards for three straight years. In addition, he was named the Street and Smith's Magazine Black College Coach of the Year (2000); Shutt Sports Division I-AA Coach of the Year (2000) and the Sheridan Broadcasting Network Black College Coach of the Year (2001, 2002).

Growing up as a young boy in the 1960s, Williams could only dream of the day he would get the chance to play in the NFL, let alone quarterback a team to a world championship and earn MVP honors. It was a day and age when black men and women gave up much just to achieve basic equality, and imagining a black man a leader of champions was only a dream in the minds of greats like Martin Luther King Jr. But he would end up turning that dream into his life's story.

Williams attended Chaneyville High School in Zachary, LA in the early 1970s and became a star quarterback for the football team.

He was recruited out of high school by Coach Robinson, who was coaching one of the most successful black college football programs at the time at Grambling State.

After spending time as a backup early on during his freshman year at Grambling, Williams finally got his chance to start in which he wasted no time in leading the team to victory in the fifth game of the season with a 21-7 victory over Tennessee State. In his first year as a starter, he would help to lead the team to a 10-2 record en route to the both the 1974 SWAC Co-Championship and the National Black College Championship. The Tigers were Williams' team from that point on as he would go on to start every game that he played at Grambling State. In his sophomore season as a full-time starter, he helped to lead the team to a 10-2 season en route to another National Black College Championship in 1975.

In his senior season of 1977, Williams' passing statistics were staggering in which he would lead the Tigers to a 10-1 record en route to both the SWAC and National Black College Championships while earning SWAC Player of the Year and All-America honors. As a direct result of his efforts, this vaulted him to a fourth place finish in the Heisman Trophy race behind the University of Texas running back Earl Campbell.

That spectacular college career earned Williams plenty of attention from NFL scouts and the changing times saw him get selected in the first round of the 1978 NFL draft by the Tampa Bay Buccaneers.

Williams turned in a strong career at Tampa Bay which included a playoff berth before the fledgling United States Football League gave the young signal caller the respect that he deserved for so long. The Oklahoma Outlaws signed him to a lucrative contract and showed a resounding vote of confidence in him as a true team leader in 1984. Williams led the Outlaws into first place before a knee injury sidelined him halfway through that initial USFL season. He played a second season with the Outlaws until the league suddenly folded in 1985.

In 1986, Tampa Bay traded the NFL rights to Williams to the Washington Redskins, and a year later he shared the starting quarterback position with Jay Schroeder. But it was Williams who shined in the postseason, leading the Redskins through the playoffs en route to a 42-10 Super Bowl victory the Denver Broncos in 1988. He was the first black quarterback to ever start in a Super Bowl who made the most of a monumental opportunity by setting several Super Bowl passing records en route being named the game's MVP.

Williams is a 1978 graduate of Grambling State. He and his wife, Raunda, are the parents of Ashley, Adrian, Doug Jr., Jasmine, Laura, Temessia and Carmeleta.

>>>>>>>> GRAMBLING STATE LEGENDS

PAUL “TANK” YOUNGER |||||

Tanks for the Memories (GSU: 1945-1948)



Paul Younger, homegrown, moved up to the college varsity in 1945. Before he ran out of eligibility in 1948 he would score a record 60 touchdowns and 369 points; rush for a nation-leading 1,207 yards in a single season (1947) and 2,631 yards in four seasons of eight-and-nine-game schedule; rumble 86 yards for a non-touchdown against Morgan State in 1946, and would become the first of more than 70 Grambling All-American.

“He was the fastest man on our team,” appends Robinson. “Most of the time in high school whenever he got the ball he’d score a touchdown. On end-around he was knocking people down. In college he scored a helluva lot of touchdowns, 25 of them as a tackle on end-arounds. His junior year we moved him to running back and defensive halfback.”

Eddie Kotal, a scout for the Los Angeles Rams, caught sight of Younger in Birmingham, Alabama, during the now defunct Vulcan Bowl. Tank scored three touchdowns in 28-27 loss to Wilberforce University of Ohio.

There are two popular misconceptions connected with Younger’s joining the Rams in 1949. He was not first black player with the Rams, nor was he the first black college player to suit up as a pro in Los Angeles.

As far back as 1946, the Rams - just one year removed from Cleveland - had signed two stellar black athletes out of UCLA - giant defensive end Woody Strode and all-purpose halfback Kenny Washington. Across LA the rival All-American Conference Dons in 1947 signed two black college players, end Ezzret “Sugarfoot” Anderson from Kentucky State and center-linebacker John Brown from North Carolina Central.

Younger, however, would tread new ground as the first black college player in the National Football League.

“Just like the film, ‘One Hundred Yards to Glory’ if Younger made it, it would open doors for others ball players,” Robinson said of that day and age. “We talked about it quite

a bit. When he left here to go to report, he was the best conditional athlete in the Rams’ camp when he got there. All slimmed, and trained like a fighter. He weighed between 218 and 223.”

Eddie also imparted some wisdom to Tank: “In dummy drills run out the play 25 to 30 yards. Don’t turn and come back after 10 like the others do. The longer you have the ball under your arm, the longer the man is watching . . .”

The “man” was general manager Tex Schramm, later to build a dynasty in Dallas, and the head coach was the innovative plotter of the T-formation, Clark Shaughnessy. Tank gained 191 yards on 52 carries while alternating with Fred Gehrke at fullback in his rookie season and the Rams won the Western Conference.

But Younger was not yet being called Tank. His nickname was “Bass Eyes,” a label hung on him by another rookie, quarterback Norm Van Brocklin. Younger would tip defenses by rolling his eyes in the direction the play would go, accused the Dutchman. Late in the 1950 season, Younger asked the team’s other quarterback, Bob Waterfield, “What do you want for Christmas?”

“I’d like a tank that runs,” replied Waterfield. This was the birth of “Tank” Younger.

The Rams fielded the most explosive offense in NFL history in the fifties. There was Waterfield and Van Brocklin throwing long-rang missiles to Tom Fears, Hirsch and track sprinter Bob Boyd. Running the ball were the Bull Elephants and halfbacks Vitamin T. Smith and Glenn Davis. In the 12- game season of 1950, the attack scored 466 points-more then 38 a game-and they would win by score of 45-28 and 45-35. In one period they ran up 41 points against Detroit.

In time, Tank, who stood 6-foot-3, built up to 230 pounds. It was a time of Bull of Elephant. Hoerner led Rams in rushing in 1948-49, Towler from 1951-53 and Younger in 1954 (91 carries, 610 yards).

Tank wore his No. 35 jersey nine years with the Rams and finished up as a Pittsburgh Steelers in 1958. His career totals in the NFL were 770 carries and 3,640, yards, 100 catches for 1,167 yards, and 35 touchdowns. He was also a savage blocker and smashing linebacker, the last player selected to both the offensive and defensive All Star teams in the NFL.





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